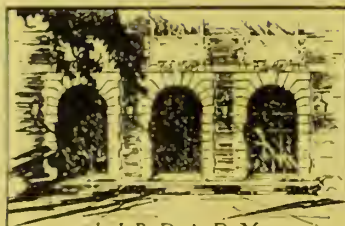


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## PREFACE.

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In the annual catalogue published in April, 1894, it was stated that during the summer months a complete Alumni Record of the Illinois Wesleyan University would be published. The plan and scope of the publication has been enlarged to an illustrated historical sketch of the organization and a record of its alumni. To make the publication of interest and of permanent value, extended correspondence, great patience, and an amount of labor astonishing to the uninitiated were necessary. The summer vacation passed before the materials were all gathered. With other duties it was impossible to prosecute the work during the collegiate year; hence the delay, which is perhaps justified by the wider scope and more extended information furnished. Much credit is due Prof. M. P. Lackland, who has materially aided in securing information from the alumni.

The object of the book is manifold:

To put essential data relating to the birth and evolution of the University in permanent form while many of the chief actors are yet living to verify the record. Forty-two years have now passed since the first charter was granted, and in a short time it would be impossible to secure the most reliable data concerning some of the most potent influences which have contributed to the founding and endowment of the institution.

To furnish the alumni, now found in the various professions and vocations in almost every country in the world, knowledge of their Alma Mater and growing brotherhood, and thereby foster a filial and fraternal spirit.

To answer the legitimate demands for information concerning the men and women who have completed its courses of study and taken its degrees. As a tree is known by its fruit, so educational institutions are known. The reader may herein find data for a rational idea of the character and value of the products of the institution. He should bear in mind, however, that values are to be found in qualities rather than in quantities.

To interest others in the institution in order that the demands now

upon it may be fully met and its sphere of usefulness enlarged. Investigation will show that the Illinois Wesleyan University has all the conditions to warrant largest gifts for buildings, scholarships and endowments. Its record is a most honorable one. It has kept within its means, and at the same time held to a high standard of scholarship. It is most favorably situated in the geographical center of Illinois and of its patronizing conferences, the Central and the Illinois, in which are ninety-two thousand, one hundred forty-two communicants of the church which controls its property. It has, therefore, a large and devoted constituency, which is also becoming wealthy, to perpetually advance its interests. This fact alone is a guaranty that the funds of the university will be conscientiously and economically used. Its experimental laboratories are equal to the largest demands of to-day. Its buildings are good, though inadequate to furnish accommodations for resident students now in the department of Letters. Its outstanding obligations are insignificant. Its interest bearing endowment is small, but constantly increasing, while its prospective endowment has rapidly increased within the last few years. Its most urgent demands to-day are for a new science hall, a new hall for a ladies' home, and a larger endowment. Never was the outlook for the growth of the institution so bright as at this hour. The attendance in the various colleges has steadily increased during the seven years past, one thousand, six hundred twenty-five students having been catalogued for the year 1894-95.

We send the book on its mission hoping that it may receive charitable consideration and some favor among the thousands of persons who have received instruction in the halls of the Illinois Wesleyan University, and of others who have contributed to its success.

September 4,  
1895.

*W. H. Wilder.*



## OBJECT OF THE FOUNDERS.

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"The object of this institution shall be to provide a system of education adapted to the wants of the country, and based upon the system of religion and morality revealed in the Scriptures." *Art. 3, Constitution of Illinois Wesleyan University, adopted December 18, 1850.*

The object of the founders of the college was to provide for the highest education of such youth as should choose to come under its influence. They sought not for products impractical and useless, living encyclopedias, the result of a system of education whose end is information and whose method is simply the communication of positive knowledge; nor for those products of the schools who are mere instruments for other men, incapable of independent thought or action, the results of a system whose end is "*the practical*" affairs of life; they sought rather the products of a system whose end is the harmonious development of the individual being in its entirety. Since "the finest fruit the earth holds up to its Maker is a finished man," character was the end in view.

Learning is like mercury, one of the most powerful and excellent things in the world in skillful hands; in unskillful, the most mischievous."

Though the state has made provision for higher education for a portion of its youth, the duty of the Christian people to found and richly endow such colleges for the highest education is not less, but rather greater, because of that fact. It is here contended that the state has not yet undertaken to furnish the highest education, and, from the nature of education and the constitutions under which it operates, it may never

assume such prerogative. The highest is not reached in perfect physical and intellectual development, since the ethical and religious sides of man's nature lie as certainly in the field of education as do the physical and the intellectual. The system that finds no place for the ethical and religious even in "*the practical*" is partial or imperfect, and, by so much, is unscientific. The highest and the best things even for "*the practical*," purity of thought and righteousness of life, are not furnished in secularism or pure intellectualism.

The highest education must meet the postulates of man's ethical and religious nature as perfectly as those of his intellectual. This necessitates the consideration of the nature of the Ground of the universe; its claims upon man; man's nature; and his relation to the Ground of the universe. The only foundation for ethics is the trinity of beliefs, God, freedom and immortality. All the assurances from skepticism that we may deny God, freedom and immortality, and yet save morality and religion to human society are groundless. Any so called system of ethics without God as the fundamental reality is as baseless as a science of psychology without a soul. Morals as certainly depend upon God as reason depends upon God. A being immutable in nature is the only adequate foundation for moral law. Conscience is not illusive, and its authority is absolute. To deny belief in God and immortality is to leave ethics without a rational ground, while to prate about the ethical in

nature and deny the authority of conscience is merest prattle. The phenomena of the moral and religious consciousness cannot be ignored in a system of complete education.

The air of the school of highest instruction should not be purely secular; its ideal should be the ideal of perfect manhood after the mode of Jesus of Nazareth. Instruction in science, in letters, in history and in philosophy should be given from the standpoint of the fundamental ideas of the Christian religion. The duty of the church to establish and richly endow institutions of highest grade is imperative to save scientific thought from materialism, philosophy from skepticism, and morality to the world. The insidious persuasive influences of materialism have already provoked even public-school men to send forth strong and brave apologies for spirituality. The trend of materialism must be strong to evoke such voices in contending that there is a spirit in man.

How much more should the organizations of Christian people whose faith made the republic possible be awake; for it is only through them that philosophy with God as its postulate, science with God as its conclusion, and culture with religion as its culmination, will underlie our thinking, permeate our teaching and guide our living. In the language of Hon. W. E. Gladstone, "It is supremacy, not precedence, that we ask for the Bible; it is contrast, as well as resemblance, that we must feel compelled to insist on. The Bible is stamped with specialty of origin, and an immeasurable distance separates it from all competitors."

While the university was placed under the control of the Methodist Episcopal Church, it was intended that it should be positively and broadly *Christian* rather than purely secular or sectarian. Such has been and is its character.

## HISTORY OF THE CORPORATION.

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[Prepared in part by JUDGE OWEN T. REEVES, Dean of Law School.]

As early as 1849 some of the public spirited citizens of central Illinois began the agitation of establishing a college at Bloomington. The first record of such agitation found by the compiler is in the minutes of the Illinois conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church for the year ending September, 1849. It is simply a record that Rev. John S. Barger and Rev. Thos. A. McGee were appointed a committee to confer with the citizens of Bloomington, Illinois, on the subject of a seminary of learning at that place.

It is impossible to identify the first meeting held with a view to the organization of the university, but a meeting was held in Bloomington, December 2, 1850, at which the committee appointed by the Conference was doubtless present, and another in the same place December 11, 1850, at which time the organization was completed. The Constitution was adopted December 18, 1850. The minutes of the Illinois conference for 1850 show that Peter Cartwright, D. D., John S. Barger, W. D. F. Trotter A. M., J. C. Rucker and W. J. Newman were appointed by the conference as a committee to visit the Illinois University at Bloomington.

The Illinois conference committee on education of that year reported on the Preparatory Department of the Illinois Wesleyan University Rev. Reuben Andrus, Principal. This report declares that "no

people are better furnished with good literary institutions than those in Illinois, and none are better able to educate their children; our duties and interests both prompt to the improvement of our opportunities."

At that time the Methodists of Illinois Conference had organized Illinois Female College at Jacksonville, seminaries at Georgetown and at Paris, Waynesville Academy at Waynesville, and very soon afterwards started seminaries at Danville, Marshall and Quincy.

The system of seminary schools had been a necessity because of the want of public schools, but upon the development of the public school system of the state, it became the policy of the church to establish colleges. That they were fully awake to their responsibility and duties is indicated from their published reports.

A paragraph taken from the report on education to the conference held at Springfield in 1854 is of interest:

"The Methodist Church, in the west and south-west, stands in a position of incalculable responsibility to the great wave of population overspreading the valley of the Mississippi. Destiny seems to point out this valley as the depository of the great heart of the nation. From this center mighty pulsations, for good or evil, must in future flow, which shall not only affect the fortunes of the republic, but reach in their influence, other and distant nations of the earth. The advances

herein reported which are being made by the Methodists on the subject of education in the bounds of the Illinois Conference, flatter the idea that, in so far as our section of the church is concerned and especially the division of it embraced in the Illinois Conference, cheering success will attend our future efforts to contribute our share towards the general education of the great masses. In addition to all other motives conspiring to lead us forward in this noble work, patriotism or the love of country is not the least. The nature of our constitutions and laws demands it. The tenure and price of our liberties are involved in it. The sovereignty invested in the whole people imperiously requires it; and recent events, as they have been connected with the civil questions which have agitated the nation, some of which questions have sprung from the tide of foreign emigration setting in upon American soil, call loudly for the work of education to go forward—the education of nothing less than the whole American mind; an education, too, that shall be American in all its essential principles.” Illinois Conference Minutes, 1854.

At the annual meeting of the trustees in July, 1851, Rev. William Goodfellow and Rev. Reuben Andrus were elected professors, and Rev. Erastus Wentworth was elected president. Dr. Wentworth did not accept, but Goodfellow and Andrus conducted the school, beginning in September, 1851.

At the annual meeting in July, 1852, Rev. John Dempster was elected president of the university, and while his name remained as president for two years, he never performed any of the duties of the office, the presidency of Garrett Biblical Institute having been tendered him, which he accepted. At the same meeting, Goodfellow was elected professor for another year, but Andrus declined a re-election. Rev. C. W. Sears was elected to a professorship at this time, and he and the

Rev. Mr. Goodfellow conducted the school the next year, with Mr. J. W. Sheefy as principal of the primary department.

At the session of the legislature held in January and February, 1853, the university received a special charter, which vested the ownership and control of the institution in the Illinois Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church—its first organization being under the general incorporation statute.

Soon after the organization of the first Board of Trustees, the question of a site for the university buildings began to be discussed, and after a number of proposals had been made, a ten-acre lot lying north of the Chicago & Alton Railroad was chosen, and a deed received for the same from James Allin. Later, but not until a contract had been let for a building and the materials for the same had been collected on the ground, the location proved so unsatisfactory that proposals were invited for another site, and on the 24th day of June, 1854, the present site was selected; the building material collected on the Allin lot was removed to the present site, and the present preparatory building was erected. At the close of the school year in June, 1854, Prof. Sears retired, and the school was continued under Prof. Goodfellow, with Mr. Lyman Shaffer as assistant, until the close of the fall term December 12, 1854, when the school work was suspended. About this time the trustees elected Rev. Peter Akers, D. D., to the presidency of the university, but he never accepted the office. Dr. Akers declined because an endowment of \$15,000 was not raised to endow the President's chair. In August, 1855, Rev. C. W. Sears was elected president, and under his management the school was again opened October 1, 1855, and was continued to July, 1856, when President Sears resigned and the trustees decided to suspend the school until a sufficient sum could be raised to pay the indebtedness which they had already incurred.

# INCORPORATION.

## AN ACT ENTITLED AN ACT INCORPORATING ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.

**Section I.** Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly, that James Allin, J. E. McClun, Linus Graves, Thomas O. Rogers, H. H. Fell, Ezekial Thomas, W. H. Allin, Isaac Fusk, John Moon, Jesse W. Fell, C. D. James, Silas Waters, C. P. Merriman, David Trimmer, John Magoun, James Miller, John W. Ewing, Jesse Birch, A. Goddard, W. C. Hobbs, David Davis, Peter Cartwright, John S. Barger and Henry Coleman, and their successors, be and are hereby created a body corporate and politic, by the name and style of "The Trustees of the Wesleyan University," and by that style and name to remain and have perpetual succession. The university shall remain at or near the city of Bloomington, in the county of McLean, and the number of trustees shall not exceed twenty-four (24), exclusive of the president, principal or presiding officer of the college, who shall be, *ex officio*, a member of the Board of Trustees; Provided, however, that no other professor or instructor shall be a member of said board. For the present the aforesaid individuals shall constitute the Board of Trustees.

**Section II.** The object of said corporation shall be the promotion of the general interest of education, and to qualify young men to engage in the several employments and professions of society, and to discharge honorably and usefully the various duties of life.

**Section III.** Said university shall be under the patronage of the Illinois Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which shall have the privilege of annually appointing a visiting committee consisting of seven, who shall have a seat with the Board of Trustees in the transactions of business. And any other annual conference that shall unite in the patronage of said institution shall have the same privilege; Provided the whole number of visitors so appointed shall not exceed twelve; and

provided, also, there shall be a quorum of the regular trustees exclusive of said visiting committee or committees, as the case may be, in all meetings of the Board of Trustees.

**SECTION IV.** Said trustees, at their first meeting, as provided for in the 14th section of this act, shall, by lot, divide themselves into three classes of eight trustees each, and the term of office for the first, second and third classes shall be one, two and three years, respectively, after the day of such classification.

Term of Office.

At the expiration of the term of office of any of said classes, the remaining trustees then in office, or a majority of them, shall elect trustees equal in number to the outgoing trustees, and who shall hold their office for three years from and after their election, and until their successors shall be elected and qualified; Provided, always, that any person or persons who may have been or shall be a trustee of said institution shall be eligible to election if any vacancy shall occur in said Board of Trustees, by removal or death or refusal to act or resignation, said trustees shall have power, at any regular meeting, of filling said vacancy by electing a person or persons to serve out the unexpired term or terms, as the case may be.

Proviso.

**SECTION V.** The corporate powers hereby bestowed shall be such only as shall be essential or useful in the attainment of the object hereinbefore specified, and such as are usually conferred on bodies corporate, to-wit, to have perpetual succession, to make contracts, to sue and to be sued, to plead and to be impleaded, to grant and receive by its corporate name, and to do all other acts as natural persons may; to accept and acquire, in all lawful ways to use, employ, manage and dispose of such property, and all moneys belonging to said corporation, in such manner as shall seem to the trustees best adapted to promote the objects aforesaid; to

Corporate Powers.



have a common seal, and to alter or change the same, and to make such by-laws as are not inconsistent with the constitution and laws of the United States and this state, and to confer on such persons as may be considered worthy such academical or honorary degrees as are usually conferred by similar institutions.

SECTION VI. The trustees of said university shall have authority from time to time to prescribe and regulate the course of studies to be pursued in said university, and in the preparatory department attached thereto; to fix the rate of tuition, room rent and other necessary expense; to appoint instructors and such other officers and agents as may be needed in the management of the concerns of the institution, to define their powers, duties and employments, to fix their compensation, to displace or remove either of the instructors, officers and agents, or all of them, as said trustees shall deem the interest of said University requires, to fill all vacancies among said instructors, officers and agents, to erect necessary buildings, to purchase books, chemical and philosophical apparatus, and other suitable means of instruction, to put in operation if deemed advisable a system of manual labor for the purpose of promoting the health of the students and lessening the expenses of education, to make rules for general management of the affairs of the institution, and for the regulation and conduct of the students, and to add as the ability of the corporation may justify, and the interest of the community shall require, additional departments for the study of the sciences, as applied to agriculture and the arts, or of any or all of the liberal professions.

SECTION VII. If any trustee shall be chosen president of the university his former place as trustee shall be considered vacant and his place filled by the remaining trustees for the time being; shall have power to remove any trustee from office for any dishonorable or criminal conduct; provided that no such removal shall take place without giving to such trustee notice of the charges exhibited against him, and an opportunity offered him to defend himself before the board, nor unless two-thirds of the whole number of trustees for the time being shall concur in such removal. The trustees for the time being, in order to have perpetual succession, shall have power, as often as a trustee shall be removed from office, die, resign, refuse to act or remove out of the

state, to appoint a resident of this state to fill the vacancy in the Board of Trustees occasioned by such removal from office, death, refusal to act, resignation or removal from the state.

SECTION VIII. The trustees shall faithfully apply all funds collected by them according to the best of their judgment, in erecting suitable buildings, in supporting the necessary instructors, officers and agents, in procuring maps, charts, globes, philosophical, chemical and other apparatus necessary to aid in the promotion of sound learning in the institution, provided that in case any donation, devise or bequest, shall be made for particular purposes accordant with the object of the institution, and the trustees shall accept the same, every such donation, devise or bequest shall be applied in conformity with the express condition of the donors or devisors; Provided, also, that lands so donated or devised shall be sold or disposed of as required by the eleventh section of this act.

SECTION IX. The treasurer of said university always, and all other agents when required by the trustees, before entering upon the duties of their appointments shall give bond respectively for the security of the corporation, in such penal sum, and with such securities as the Board of Trustees shall approve; and all process against such corporation shall be by summons, and the service of the same shall be by leaving an attested copy with the treasurer of the college at least thirty days before the return day thereof.

SECTION X. The said university and its preparatory department shall be open to all denominations of Christians, and the profession of any particular religious faith shall not be required of those who become students. All persons, however, may be suspended or expelled from said institution whose habits are idle or vicious, or whose moral character is bad.

SECTION XI. The lands, tenements and hereditaments to be held in perpetuity by virtue of this act by said institution, shall not exceed six hundred and forty acres; provided, however, that if the donations, grants or devises in land shall from time to time be made to said corporation over and above said six hundred and forty acres which may be held in perpetuity, the same may be received and held by said corporation for the period of ten years from the date of every such donation, grant or devise, at the end of which time, if the said lands over and above

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the six hundred and forty acres shall not have been sold, then and in that case the said lands so donated granted or devised shall revert to the donor, grantor or the heirs of the deviser of the same.

**SECTION XII.** Eight trustees shall be sufficient to constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and should there be at any time an insufficient number for a quorum they shall have power to adjourn from day to day, or for any longer period, until a quorum shall be had. It shall be lawful for the president of the Board, any three of the trustees, or a majority of the professors of the the institution for the time being, to call at any time a meeting of the Board of Trustees whenever he or they, as the case may be, may deem it expedient, by giving at least three days' notice of such meeting by personal service or by publication in some newspaper published in the county.

**SECTION XIII.** The acts and proceedings of the trustees of the Illinois Wesleyan University, heretofore had under the general law authorizing the incorporation of the institutions of learning be, and the same are hereby legalized, and the individuals designated in the first section of this act are hereby constituted the successors to the board heretofore organized under said general law, and are authorized and required to take the full and entire management of all things pertaining to the future maintenance and support of said institution.

**SECTION XIV.** The first meeting of said trustees under this charter shall be held in Bloomington, on the first Wednesday in March next, or at any time thereafter on a day fixed or agreed upon in the manner pointed out in the preceding section, and all subsequent regular meetings of said Board shall be held at such stated periods as said trustees, in their discretion, may from time to time by their by-laws and regulations determine.

**SECTION XV.** This act shall be deemed a public act, and shall be in force from and after its passage.

*Approved February 12, 1853.*

AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY, APPROVED FEBRUARY 12, 1853.

**SECTION I.** Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois represented in General Assembly, that the first section of the act entitled An Act to Incorporate the Illinois Wesleyan University, approved February 12, 1853, be so amended that the trustees therein named and their successors in office, shall be a body corporate and politic by the name and style of "The Trustees of the Illinois Wesleyan University."

**SECTION II.** Be it further enacted that sections third and fourth of said act be so amended that said university shall be under the patronage of the Illinois and Pecria (now Central Illinois) Annual Conferences of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and such other annual conferences of said church as shall hereafter unite in the patronage of said university; and that the trustees of said university shall hereafter be elected by said conferences electing an equal number of trustees; and that the joint visiting committee appointed by said conferences shall have the right to nominate the president of said university, but no vote in his election.

**SECTION III.** So much of said act of February 12, 1853 as conflicts with this act is hereby repealed.

**SECTION IV.** This act to take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

*Approved January 30, 1857.*

## OLIVER S. MUNSELL.

PRESIDENT OF THE ILLINOIS WESLEYAN  
UNIVERSITY, 1857-73.

The Rev. Oliver Spencer Munsell, A. M., D. D., son of Leander and Hannah Munsell, was born in Miami county, Ohio, June 8, 1825.

When he was not quite seven years old, his parents removed to Paris, Edgar county, Illinois, where was his home until manhood. His education was begun in the old time subscription school, for there, as yet, the free school had no existence. Later his preparation for college was made under private tutors, and in September, 1841, he entered the sophomore class of Asbury University, Greencastle, Ind. Being in poor health, he was compelled to leave college at the close of the winter term in his senior year, but returned in the spring of 1845, and was graduated with honors, taking the degree of A. B.

Mr. Munsell was of a Methodist family, but a moralist in all religious matters, and was successful in resisting all positive religious impressions until under the personal influence and instruction of President (later Bishop)

Simpson, he learned that the true basis of morality was found in



OLIVER S. MUNSELL, PRESIDENT, 1857-1873.

the teaching of the Christian religion, and on the first day of February, 1842 he gave his heart to God, and joined the Methodist Episcopal Church. His father had educated him specifically for the profession of law, and upon graduation at Asbury, young Munsell at once entered upon its study under the tutorship of Mr. Emerson who afterwards adorned a seat on the Supreme Bench of Illinois, and in the autumn of 1846 was admitted to practice at the bar. Though admitted to practice he never followed the profession, as a revolution had taken place in his thoughts and plans. In September of the same year he was licensed to preach and joined the Illinois conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church. In 1851 he was elected Principal of the Danville Seminary which he organized in the old Methodist church in Danville and afterwards conducted successfully in the Seminary building until 1854, when, on account of failing health, he resigned and sought a less sedentary life. In the autumn of 1856, at the earnest solicitation of intimate friends in the bounds of the Rock River Conference he was transferred to the Rock River Conference

and stationed at Mt. Morris the seat of the Rock River Seminary, whose large body of students offered him a genial field of labor, and one which so providentially aided to fit him for what was destined to be his chief life work.

In July, 1857, he was elected president of the Illinois Wesleyan University, which, after brave struggles for an existence, had suspended operation in 1856. He shared in the belief that Methodism and Central Illinois needed such an institution as the one planned, and that Bloomington was the proper place for its location. The outlook at that time was not a promising one, and a month later the panic of 1857 occurred, which rendered the undertaking most difficult.

The assets of the institution consisted of ten acres of ground, beautifully situated in the north part of the city of Bloomington, the walls of a plain but substantial three story brick building, and an encumbrance of nearly five thousand dollars, which was increased to \$9,853 by the contract for the completion of the building; a few old notes, practically without value, an uncompleted scholarship subscription for the endowment of the President's chair, and an uncompleted general subscription conditioned on securing \$50,000. Upon the \$4,200 indebtedness the trustees were paying twenty-two per cent.

Notwithstanding, Mr. Munsell accepted the position, and unasked, contracted with the board to conduct the school three years at his own expense, provided full financial control and the selection of teachers should be vested in him, a responsibility afterward shared by his brother, Edward B. Munsell, M. A., who that year became a member of the faculty. Some time before this Rev. Charles W. C. Munsell, of the Illinois Conference, a brother of the president-elect, was elected financial agent for the university, who, with the president, by untiring zeal and energy inspired such confidence among the people of the patronizing territory that success was soon assured. They advanced money for the comple-

tion of the building, finished and furnished it, and opened the school in the following September with seventeen pupils. The faculty consisted of the president, Rev. Oliver S. Munsell, M. A., Rev. J. T. Tomlin, M. A., and Edward B. Munsell, M. A.; the total enrollment for the year 1857-8 was sixty students.

The financial condition of the country made it impossible to successfully complete the scholarship subscription begun by President C. W. Sears, which if completed, would, in the end, have been a great disadvantage to the institution, if not ruinous. It was therefore deemed advisable to start a new subscription specifically for the endowment fund conditioned upon the raising of cash and notes of hand to the amount of \$25,000 within three years. The subscription was so drawn that if it was secured it would be available to bind the old conditional subscription for the payment of half the amount subscribed, and by means of which it was desired to liquidate the existing debt. The president took the field, with his brother, for this purpose, and with untiring zeal pushed the canvass until an amount was secured which bound enough of the original subscriptions to liquidate the indebtedness upon the institution.

At the expiration of the three years' contract, the trustees assumed the financial responsibility of the college; but, at the suggestion of the Munsell brothers, adopted the rule which was inflexibly maintained until 1866, and measurably enforced until 1873, that the professors must accept *pro rata* the income for the year in full satisfaction of their claims. To this rule, Dr. Munsell says, the university owes its life.

The growth of the institution demanded additional buildings, and in 1868 subscriptions amounting to \$40,000 were taken to erect the present main hall. It is a brick structure (with the exception of the first story, which is stone), four stories in height, and 70x140 feet. The corner-stone was laid in 1870, and the building was dedicated in June, 1871, having cost \$100,000.





*PREPARATORY BUILDING.*



## *HISTORICAL SKETCH AND ALUMNI RECORD,*

Fully awake to the importance of physical laboratories and natural history collections, President Munsell brought to his aid the wisdom and services of Richard H. Holder, a skillful ornithologist, Prof. George Vasey the distinguished botanist, Mr. Walsh of Rock Island, C. D. Wilber and Prof. Joseph Henry, LL.D., of the Smithsonian Institute, and succeeded in securing the nucleus of the present magnificent collection of natural history. Mr. Munsell, having transferred his conference membership to the Central Illinois Conference, was elected to the General Conference in 1860, which honor was conferred upon him again in 1864, and still again in 1872, and in the last conference he served as first assistant secretary. In 1863, he received the appointment by President Lincoln as a member of the board of visitors to the military academy at West Point, and was elected president of the board which numbered among its members Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Mr. Munsell was an earnest student, especially in the department of Ethics and Metaphysics, and in addition to regular correspondence for the *Methodist Quarterly Review* and the *Southern Methodist Quarterly Review* he published a text-book on Mental Philosophy which was placed in the conference course of study of his church, and remained as a text-book prescribed by the bishops of the church for many years. It was also used in many of the colleges of the country. He also found

time to write a work on Ethics which has never been published, but pronounced by those who have examined the manuscript to be one of the ablest and most comprehensive treatments of the subject.

President Munsell is a man of superior intellectual ability, and was a clear, forcible and inspiring teacher, especially in his chosen department, Mental Science. His career at the Illinois Wesleyan University is a most honorable one. A study of the catalogues of the institution shows that during the first year of his administration there were three sophomore students, four freshmen and thirteen ranked as irregular, and forty in the preparatory school. In 1857 there was not even the beginning of a library, museum, or physical laboratories, while in 1872 and 1873 we find the preparatory building in good condition, the new building completed, a faculty of ten regular professors, including professional lecturers, and a roster of nine graduates, thirteen seniors, seventeen juniors, twenty-six sophomores, thirty freshmen, twenty-two irregulars, and a hundred thirty-five preparatory students, with courses which compared very favorably with the best colleges in the west. The organization of the school of law and a school of medicine had been contemplated, and lectures were delivered by the chief men of these professions before the university for one or two years during this administration, out of which lectures came the organization of the law school in 1874.

## SAMUEL FALLOWS.

PRESIDENT OF THE ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY. 1873-75.

Bishop Samuel Fallows, D. D., was born in England and came with his parents to this country while yet a boy. Soon after his graduation at



SAMUEL FALLOWS.

the University of Wisconsin he was offered the vice-presidency of the Galesville University in Wisconsin, and for two years he taught there with success. Then he entered the ministry as pastor of the Methodist church at Oshkosh and soon gained fame as an eloquent pulpit orator. When the war broke out he went to the front as chaplain of the Twenty-second Wisconsin Infantry. On the field he imbibed the spirit of the conflict and he organized the Fortieth Wisconsin Infantry, composed entirely of graduates and stu-

dents of the various institutions in that State. Such a band of educated fighters had not been known in the army, and it was nicknamed "the God and morality" regiment.

As pastor of the Summerfield Methodist Church in Milwaukee, then the leading Methodist church in Wisconsin, Bishop Fallows re-entered upon his clerical duties at the close of the war, and later on he

was made pastor of the Spring Street Methodist Church in the same city. During his pastorate there Governor Fairchild appointed him, in 1871, to the office of state superintendent of public instruction, and afterward the people elected him twice to the same important office.

In 1873 Lawrence University conferred upon him the degree of doctor of divinity. He was offered the chair of logic and rhetoric in the State university about this time, but he declined, preferring to work in the pulpit. Traces of his splendid work as superintendent of public instruction are visible in the Wisconsin public schools to the present time.

In 1873 Bishop Fallows was elected to the presidency of the Illinois Wesleyan University. Here he manifested superior qualities as an educator, reconstructed and strengthened the courses of study, thoroughly organized the School of Law and established the Non-resident and Post-graduate department, which has drawn the attention of so many eminent men to the University. His administration, though short, was brilliant. In 1875, having resigned the presidency of the institution, he united with the Reformed Episcopal Church and became rector of the St. Paul's Church of Chicago, and was soon afterwards elected Bishop. His career in that denomination and in the city of Chicago is as honorable as it is widely known.

His resignation was a complete surprise to the university, and was universally regretted by its friends and patrons. His suavity of manner, thorough scholarship, extended experience and prestige as an educator and orator had awakened the hope that a new era had dawned, and that under his wise management and masterful presentation of the cause of Christian education large gifts would be secured and money would flow more readily into the treasury of the institution.

In addition to his ecclesiastical duties, he holds a responsible office in connection with the Illinois State Reformatory, and is the active president of the People's Institute.

W. H. H. ADAMS.

PRESIDENT OF THE ILLINOIS WESLEYAN  
UNIVERSITY. 1875-80.

President William Henry Harrison Adams, B.A., M.A., B.D., D.D., was born in Effingham county, Illinois, in 1840, being descended from English ancestry, of the same line as John Quincy Adams. He enlisted as a private in Company A, 111th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and in 1863 was promoted as first lieutenant and served as such until near the expiration of his term, when he was brevetted captain, and later still, as major of the regiment. He claimed to have drilled the first two thousand colored troops, formed them into companies and offered them for service.

He prepared for college in the common schools of his native State and in the preparatory school of the Northwestern University, and was graduated from that institution in 1870. He was licensed to preach at an early age and served as a student pastor in the vicinity of the university during his college course. After graduation in 1870, he was admitted to the Illinois Conference and was stationed at Monticello; after-

wards, at Clinton, and was in the third year of his pastorate at that



W. H. H. ADAMS, PRESIDENT, 1875-1880.

place when called to the presidency of the Illinois Wesleyan University, August 17, 1875. His administration began under gravest discouragements. The panic of 1873 depreciated values, prostrated business and indirectly added greatly to the indebtedness of the institution for its main building; but with zeal and energy rarely surpassed he devoted himself to the task of saving the institution from its financial embarrassments.

In a very short time he won the confidence of the patronizing conferences. To the ministry he imparted his own boundless faith, which aroused that energy and unanimity of action among them so necessary to render possible the founding of a Christian college.

His keen insight into human nature, his intuition of character, his knowledge of forces controlling in society, his clearness, vigor, accuracy and fluency of speech, his affable manner and ready wit were all elements of his great power in the pulpit, on the platform, in the class-room, in society and at the hearthstone. He became a favorite of the people who sought his services on great occasions. As a platform speaker and

a man of rare skill at dedicatory services, he became widely known. In the latter service this writer never saw him excelled.

How admirably he succeeded in saving the institution from its crushing debt may be seen from the following report of a special committee appointed June, 1888, and made to the board of trustees in September of the same year:

The actual amount of the endowment of this institution is \$72,989.11, consisting,

First, of notes well secured, drawing interest, with some cash on hand ready to be loaned, and in hands of treasurer . . . . .	\$41,931 36
Second, in original notes, and not secured . . . . .	27,406 75
Third, of real estate, valued at . . . . .	2,740 00
Fourth, interest notes not due and educational notes . . . . .	911 00
Making a grand total of . . . . .	\$72,989 11
A bonded indebtedness of . . . . .	22,000 00
Assets consisting of promissory notes and of subscriptions, good and bad	16,310 79

The Cramp fund of about \$25,000 not available, is not considered in this report.

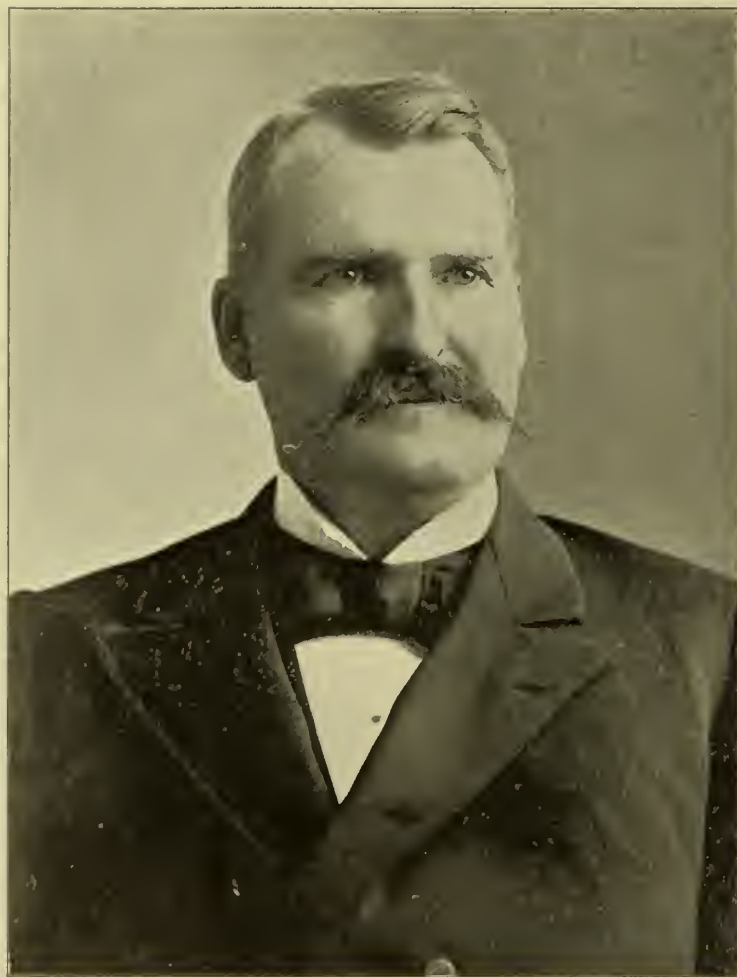
Dr. Adams was admired and loved more sincerely and universally than any other man who has ever been connected with the Illinois Wesleyan University. To know him was to love him. In scholarship he was clear but modest; in power of interpretation, ready and masterful; in society, on the platform and in the pulpit, a magnet that irresistibly drew men unto him and his cause; in method of expression strikingly original and pleasing. When the history of the university is known as it has been made, it will not be a surprise to learn that President Adams

laid down his life for the Illinois Wesleyan University.

His heroic zeal and self-sacrificing nature are worthy of the tribute paid him at the time of his death by James Miller:

"He knew no moral code which required him to consult his own interests in responding to the call of God and ministering to the world's need. He valued neither money, nor health, nor pleasure, nor the educational rules of self-preservation, when the cry for help greeted his ear and touched the sensitive chords of his sympathetic heart. His hand was always open to minister to the needs of the poor. No discouraged student struggling with a hard lot of poverty to obtain an education ever appealed to him in vain. No widow or orphan child in distress ever turned to him for sympathy and aid without finding in him a friend. No brother minister, discouraged with the burdens and cares of an unfruitful field, ever sought his sympathy and encouragement without finding a warm response. He lived to bear the burdens of others. He wrecked his constitution, ruined his health, shattered his nervous organization, and sacrificed his life for the sole satisfaction of doing good, and making himself helpful to others. His sympathy knew no limits of creed, caste, or clan. He was humanitarian in all his impulses. He was filled with a divinity and charity as universal as humanity. He was forbearing, magnanimous and forgiving toward his enemies, and when jealousy and calumny pursued him into comparative obscurity, he reached forth the hand of brotherly kindness toward those who had smitten him, and from behind the veil which hides the spirit world from ours, he sends back the olive branch of peace, and the whispering breath of an undying charity."





WM. H. WILDER, PRESIDENT FROM 1888.



### W. H. WILDER, PRESIDENT FROM 1888.

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At the annual meeting of the board of trustees in June, 1888, Rev. William H. Wilder, M.A., D.D., was elected president.

Since 1888 grounds for an athletic park have been secured at a cost of \$2,000; lots for a janitor's residence and a gymnasium at a cost of \$1,900; perhaps \$15,000 has been expended in the improvement of buildings and grounds, putting them in excellent condition.

The Shellabarger and H. S. Swayne chemical laboratories have been added to the science departments; \$1,800 has been expended in cases for the natural history collections, \$1,000 of which was the gift of an alumnus, Rev. William Luke Cunningham, of Point Pleasant, New Jersey. Besides smaller valuable contributions for the museum, the university has received the George W. and Rebecca S. Lichtenthaler collection, valued at \$25,000. In addition to the above, cash and notes amounting to \$7,500 have been taken for the improvement fund. The endowment fund has been increased by farm lands from Hiram Buck, D.D., valued at \$27,500, not yet available; \$58,500, \$55,000 of which was necessary to meet the conditions of the deed executed by Hiram and Martha Buck; \$6,000 by bequest from Jonathan Totten; and \$600 by bequest from Miss Mary Williams. The total endowment July 1, 1895, was \$187,999, including the Cramp fund.

### LABORATORIES.

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The Shellabarger laboratory, donated by Mr. David S. Shellabarger, of Decatur, and a few other friends of the university, has greatly increased the facilities for advanced chemistry work. It is furnished with

all modern conveniences, and is supplied with a full line of apparatus for accurate and advanced work. The Qualitative laboratory is thoroughly equipped with all apparatus necessary for furnishing to each student a separate outfit for performing the experiments in chemistry, and for qualitative and blow-pipe work. Perfect ventilation is secured in both laboratories by an ingenious apparatus placed therein by Mr. Henry S. Swayne.

The Henry S. Swayne Private Laboratory, a personal gift to Dr. Graham from Mrs. Swayne, in recognition of her husband's friendship for him, has been given excellent quarters in rooms adjoining the other laboratories, and the university reaps the full benefit of the gift of this thoroughly equipped and highly expensive laboratory in all special and research work, and is enabled to offer to her students unexcelled advantages for special work in this branch.

Five rooms are devoted to the work of biology and physics, one being for class-room use, one for storage of plants and animals, and containing a large aquarium, and three for laboratory purposes. A room has just been fitted up for the work in physics, making very commodious quarters. These laboratories are well equipped with tables and material for work. The material is supplemented by a good working library. The outfit of microscopic material in biology gives students in this line as good facilities for work as are offered by the best institutions.

### THE MUSEUM.

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The history of the museum is interesting as well as varied. The first catalogue, for the years 1851-2, states that "there are on the shelves of the cabinet about 1,700 specimens." This, presumably, refers to scientific specimens. From this nucleus has grown a collection



SECTION OF SHELLABARGER LABORATORY.

that now fills to overflowing the two large rooms devoted to that purpose, worth many thousands of dollars.

We will briefly summarize the additions from time to time, as revealed by the file of catalogues. In 1860 the next statement is found concerning the collections, when "the nucleus of an interesting and valuable cabinet of mineralogy, geology and zoology, has been secured." In 1863 large and very valuable additions were made to the Museum of Natural History, particularly in the departments of geology and paleontology, by a contribution from the State Cabinet of Geology at Springfield. The collections of that year were said to number 6,000 specimens.

The next catalogue, 1863, states that the collections have been largely increased since the last announcement, summing up four thousand specimens in geology and paleontology, one thousand one hundred salt water and one thousand fresh water and land shells, a large botanical collection, one hundred specimens in ornithology, etc. The next year, 1864, there was an additional hundred birds, a valuable entomological collection, and a fine collection of minerals from the Smithsonian.

In 1876, Dr. George Vasey added a collection of woods of the State, and in 1872 there was received a collection of Patent Office models.

In 1880-81 additions were made of a collection of plants from Colorado from the Wheeler Geological Survey, plants from Utah from the Powell Geological Survey, a fine collection of corals and mollusca by purchase, and a collection of marine mollusks from the Smithsonian Institute.

In 1886 President W. H. H. Adams added 625 specimens of shells, fossils, ore, etc., while 695 specimens of various kinds were received from the United States National Museum. The additions for the year 1887 were 1,200 specimens, chiefly of pottery, minerals and fossils from the United States National Museum. No attempt was made to arrange the material for a couple of years, as there were no cases and

no way consequently for arranging it. In 1891 Rev. William Luke Cunningham, Ph. D., of Point Pleasant, New Jersey, an alumnus of the university, contributed \$1,000 for the preparation of cases. These were made and placed on the second floor of the main building, in the room formerly occupied by the library, the library going into the quarters vacated by the collections. The specimens were immediately cleaned and arranged for exhibition and made a good display, entirely filling the cases, though many of the shells, stones, fossils, etc. had been rendered worthless by the loss of their labels, with no way of determining or identifying them. Meanwhile many small collections kept coming in, filling the cases to overflowing.

The year 1893 was momentous in the history of the museum, and marks an epoch in its growth. In that year the museum became the recipient through bequest of the George W. and Rebecca S. Lichtenthaler collection of shells, sea algæ, and ferns.

A brief sketch of Mr. Lichtenthaler and his life will be appropriate here, inasmuch as he left to the museum a collection that has no equal in this section of the country.

George W. Lichtenthaler, one of the best known of American conchologists, and one of the most earnest and energetic collectors of natural history specimens, passed away at San Francisco on Tuesday, February 20, 1893, death being caused by fatty degeneration of the heart. He was 60 years of age.

Mr. Lichtenthaler was born in Pennsylvania, and came to Bloomington, Ill., at the age of twenty-two. For five years he was a drug clerk, then bought out the stock, conducted business for himself for seventeen years, after which he retired with a snug fortune. During this time he imbibed a taste for natural history, and after his retirement devoted his entire time and the proceeds of his large estate to the gathering and collecting of shells, ferns and algæ. Mrs. Lichtenthaler died twelve

years ago, leaving no children. After death Mr. Lichtenthaler turned his mind more than ever to his chosen work. His wife's death was a great blow to him, and he was no doubt greatly moved to collecting to



GEO. W. LICHTENTHALER.

forget his sorrow. His affection for her is shown in his desire that the vast collection should be given a name that would incorporate the name of 'Rebecca S. Lichtenthaler.'

Mr. Lichtenthaler was an amateur collector, never having sold specimens or labored for hire. His was a labor of love. If he could not exchange he would give of his duplicates to those who would make use of them. Many people of this community treasure collections from distant climes given by him, and many a lad with a love for nature has had this love fanned into a flame through his encouragement, and has gone from the presence of this great-hearted man not only with a

greater love for nature's works, but with a liberal gift of shells or other specimens carefully preserved. Many a case has he recounted to me, sitting by my fireside, of boys he has helped to knowledge and position, by pointing the way and lending substantial aid.

Had he desired, he might have been famous as a traveler, by putting his observations into print. But he disliked and shunned pub-

licity, and we know of nothing he has written. He was one of those workers who cared little for making new genera or species, and who collected not wholly for himself, but also for his fellow workers and for public museums. In his travels he has been in nearly every country in the world, and has been several times along the entire west American coast, was at home in the Sandwich Islands, has traversed the coast of Europe from North Cape to Gibraltar, and has been up and down both coasts of Africa, as well as around the Indian Ocean. In these travels many of the rarest specimens known to science were brought together, and are left among his great collection.

He was one of the early members of the 'American Association of Conchologists,' being enrolled as a member May 15, 1890. His special study was shells of the Pacific Coast. He was an active and enthusiastic member, and did much to promote its work. His gift of Pacific Coast shells to the collection of the Association was a large and valuable addition.

Few men have as wide a personal acquaintance with men of science as he had. Devoting all his energy and time to travel and collecting, and having been all over the American continent, he met them everywhere. His retiring disposition led him to make little mention of his achievements, and his great work was not known to many of the people of his home. But to a few of his friends and acquaintances who could appreciate his work he unburdened his heart, and would recount his travels and experiences, and give descriptions of museums and countries, for hours at a time. He was an interesting conversationalist, and would relate his experiences in a manner that always commanded attention.

His main work was in conchology. His collection embraces many highly polished specimens, and he spared no expense to have always the finest and best that were to be had. While on a trip to France a few





VIEW OF CORNER IN CUNNINGHAM MUSEUM.

years ago he heard of an English firm who cut gastropods longitudinally to show their spiral arrangement, and he has case after case of shells of this exquisite workmanship. All his specimens are authoritatively correct, having been labeled by the highest authorities, and we are glad that he has left the collection where it is accessible to the public for comparisons.

“His collection embraces shells, crustaceans, echinoderms, corallines, corals, fossil shells and plants, minerals, ferns and marine algæ. There are from six to eight thousand species of shells, and at a low estimate twenty-five thousand specimens, from all parts of the world. There are eight hundred species of marine algæ, and four hundred species of ferns. The latter include a nearly complete collection of the ferns of North America, a complete collection from the Hawaiian Islands; also many from India, China, Japan, Australia, New Zealand, South America, Europe, etc. He stated that he had two species not in any other collection.

“Probably the bulk of the specimens in this collection will have little attraction for the ordinary visitor, and many could not possibly be put out for public inspection without certain ruin.

“Many are unattractive, many so minute that they must be examined with the microscope, while many are beautifully polished. The most of them are of his own collecting, but a large number were secured through his exchange of duplicates, while he bought many outright. A few are very rare and their value cannot be determined. He spent a week in Michigan searching for a rare species, and succeeded in getting three specimens.

“The ferns and algæ are in books provided for such purposes, the plants being gummed to the leaves. There are three volumes of the algæ, containing about a thousand specimens, collected from all parts of the world, and all identified. Besides the type specimens thus prepared

in books, there are many duplicate specimens on separate papers, which he kept for exchange.

“It will thus be seen that the collection of plants does not occupy much space, and is put up in a very compact form. These types could not be thrown open to the public, as the thumbing and turning of the leaves would soon break the specimens to pieces, but they are accessible to students of the subjects.

“This collection, his entire work for twenty years, he bequeathed to the Illinois Wesleyan University, together with \$500, to put it in suitable shape for preservation. Its value in money can only be estimated by what it would cost to replace the collection. Allow \$1,000 a year for twenty years, and as much more for expenses (a low estimate), and allow for purchases and means of preservation, and \$50,000 would be very reasonable.

“The university already possessed a fine conchological collection of several thousand species. A large part of these were given by the Smithsonian Institute, mostly marine shells, and several donations of land and fresh water shells make enough to fill three large cases. There is in the university a large collection of fossils, shells and brachiopods from the government. The herbarium contains three thousand species, with thousands of duplicates. These are largely phanerogams. Add to these Mr. Lichtenthaler's great collection of shells, ferns and sea algæ, and it is readily seen that the collections give opportunity for study equalled by few institutions.”

New cases, after the best pattern, were made for this collection, and were put in the room formerly occupied by the Adelpic society, adjoining the room already filled with material. The collection makes a beautiful display, and is seen and admired daily by many visitors. In the corner of the room is an alcove, in which is stored the collection of plants, embracing some six thousand species.



LICHTENTHALER MUSEUM.

Since the addition of this great collection in 1893, numerous smaller collections have been coming in, which have received mention from time to time in the annual catalogue. Summing up, we find that the museum contains the following donations of material with the names of the persons making the gifts:

*Major J. W. Powell.*—A large collection of Zuni and Moqui utensils, pottery, articles of dress, etc.

A large collection of minerals and fossils, collected on the Powell geological survey.

A large collection of photographs of western scenery of geological interest.

*Dr. George Vasey.*—A collection of the woods of Illinois.

The Vasey herbarium, containing most of the phanerogamia of Illinois.

A collection of plants from Colorado from the Wheeler geological survey.

A collection of plants from Utah from the Powell geological survey.

*Dr Benjamin D. Walsh.*—A valuable collection of about 1,000 insects.

*Richard H. Holder.*—About 200 finely mounted specimens in ornithology, besides many specimens in mammalogy and herpetology.

*William H. H. Adams.*—A collection of 625 specimens of shells, fossils, and ores.

*Illinois Geological Survey.*—A collection of fossils illustrating the geology of Illinois.

*The Smithsonian Institution and United States National Museum.*—A fine collection of native and foreign minerals.

A large collection of marine invertebrates.

A collection of 70 mammal skins.

A collection of 180 North American bird skins.

*The George W. and Rebecca S. Lichtenthaler Collection.*—The collection em-

braces some 10,000 species of shells, 1,000 species of marine algae, 500 species of ferns, with many mosses, lichens, etc.

*Edward M. Hoblit and J. Dwight Funk.*—A collection of bird eggs.

*Charles S. Lyles.*—A miscellaneous collection of birds, reptiles and mammals from Idaho.

*N. Walworth Marsh.*—A collection of bird eggs and skins, all well prepared and properly labeled.

*Willbur Wright.*—A collection of bird eggs.

*Clarence E. Snyder.*—A collection of Lepidoptera.

*Percy D. Getty.*—A collection of fifty sets of bird eggs, all in excellent condition and properly identified and labeled.

*The Curator, Morton J. Elrod.*—A large collection of miscellaneous material, including plants, insects, birds and mammal skins, alcoholic specimens, photographs and curios, collected on a recent expedition to Idaho and the National park.

*Henry W. Shryock.*—Fifty fossils from Richland county, Ill.

*H. E. Robbins, Pueblo, Colo.*—A series of embryo chicks.

*Herbert S. Cadwell.*—A collection of butterflies.

*Albert Pike*—A United States dagger, picked up in a field in McLean county.

*The Curator, Morton J. Elrod.*—A collection of fresh water shells from the Des Moines and Raccoon rivers.

*J. W. Wilson, Canadian Geological Survey, Ottawa, Can.*—A collection of minerals from Canada.

*Prof. Henry Montgomery, Salt Lake City, Utah.*—A collection of fifty minerals from Utah.

The museum is thus seen to contain a great deal of material for study, and furnishes an excellent opportunity to do special work along many lines.





BEHR OBSERVATORY.





ATHLETIC PARK MAIN BUILDING IN THE DISTANCE.

## THE OBSERVATORY AND GYMNASIUM.

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In October, 1894, Mr. C. A. Behr, of Chicago, presented the university an excellent reflecting telescope eighteen and one-half inches in diameter. The instrument is provided with right ascension and declination circles, a driving clock, and a two-inch finder; a parallel wire micrometer, a position micrometer, and a complete outfit of shades, eye-pieces, etc. A visual and photographic spectroscope has been designed, a duplicate of the one now in use in the Potsdam observatory, Germany. This instrument, with a splendid six-inch refracting telescope, enables the university to offer excellent opportunities for study and investigation. The observatory building is situated on the northeast corner of the campus, and is furnished with many modern improvements.

The gymnasium building, a modest brick structure, is located one-half block east of the campus. It is well equipped with all the apparatus necessary for instruction in physical culture.

## THE LIBRARIES.

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In the first catalogue of the Illinois Wesleyan University, published the year of its establishment, we find it stated that there was at that time the nucleus of a miscellaneous and scientific library consisting of about one thousand volumes. This, with botanical and natural history specimens and scientific apparatus, occupied what is now the cloak room on the second floor of the preparatory building.

A short time after this the library was divided between the two literary societies and removed to the Munsellian and Belles Lettres

halls, which occupied respectively the north east room on the ground floor, and the south room on the third floor, of the preparatory building. Later we find the library increased in size, altogether once more, and reposing on shelves arranged for its accommodation in what is now the natural history museum, on the second floor of the college building. Here, in a convenient, pleasant room, and under the direction of Mrs. Sue M. D. Fry, it was used by a large number of the students. But in the fall of 1891, as this room was needed for the museum, the library was again moved, this time into its present quarters on the third floor of the preparatory building.

It is all that could be desired, in being a large, pleasant, well lighted room, with windows on three sides and a most charming view to the north and east.

Catalogues record the fact that there were important additions made every year to the original one thousand volumes. About the year 1857 Dr. O. S. Munsell was instrumental in making this one of the distributing points for state and national publications. These books are well bound in leather and are exceedingly valuable for reference.

The books of the non-resident library are a very important addition. These books are all new and the result of recent research of the best scholars in science, literature, history, language and philosophy.

Others of the more recent additions are, the Lichtenhaler library, which came to the university at the same time that the collection of shells and mosses was received; the library of the Rev. N. R. Davies, which was donated to the Wesleyan in 1893; the well-selected set of books of the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A.; bound volumes of current literature which are added year by year from the reading room. There is also continually being added literature from the different departments to supply materials for seminary courses.

Altogether there are about seven thousand volumes at present in



VIEW OF A SECTION OF THE LIBRARY.

the library, which is open to the students most of the hours during the day. Competent monitors are in charge, under the general supervision of the librarian, and books may be used there for reference or even taken from the library under certain conditions.

Although most of the books are well chosen and are used by many students, yet there is no department of the university that is in greater need of additional material." —*Wesleyana*, 1895.

### THE WILDER READING ROOM ASSOCIATION.

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In the fall of 1889, nearly \$400 was subscribed by the faculty and students and a few friends of the institution for the purpose of fitting up a reading room and purchasing literature therefor. Shortly after holidays the room was ready for use, and an excellent selection, consisting of all the best magazines and periodicals, was placed on the tables. The organization proved to be a thoroughly active one, and has been of great benefit to the college. It soon became evident to those who had the interests of the association at heart, that the advantages enjoyed by the members should be thrown open to the students. Consequently a proposition was made to the board of trustees to turn over to the college the use of the room for college purposes, and to grant the use of the literature to all students, provided the board would give the association space in the new library room and would give \$50 per year toward its support instead of furnishing a janitor as before. This the executive committee of the board agreed to do for this present year, with the probability that the arrangement will be made permanent at the meeting of the board in June. While no charge is made for use of literature, a

small membership fee is required for franchise privileges, and, as there are 125 members, this fee, together with the interest on principal loaned by the association, and the \$50 granted by the executive committee, places in the hands of the literary committee over \$100 to be expended annually for literature, thus making it possible to support a first-class reading room; and likewise, should the board make permanent the annual appropriation, assuring future excellence for all time.

### THE WESLEYAN LECTURE COURSE.

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In the fall of 1890, the managers of the People's Lecture Course, who for years previous had provided high class literary entertainments for the city, became disheartened by lack of patronage, and abandoned the field. Drs. Wilder and Graham, believing that this was the Wesleyan's opportunity to gain control of the course, became personally responsible for a course involving an outlay of \$1,200; they then laid the matter before the Reading Room Association. The course was enthusiastically endorsed by the association, and the enterprise proved successful. A good course was given, and the management at the close of the year had \$12 of margin.

The next year a much more expensive course was undertaken, and each year since then the best talent obtainable has been brought before the students and people of the city at very low prices. Each year a small sum has passed into the treasury after all bills were settled; and over \$400 has been placed on interest to aid in the support of the reading room. The management of the course has been advantageous in many ways, and has brought the university into closer touch and sympathy with the people of the city.





READING ROOM - MAIN BUILDING.



### ADMISSION OF LADIES.

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In 1870 the board of trustees, upon the recommendation of the faculty, admitted ladies to all the rights and privileges accorded to gentlemen. The wisdom of that action has never been questioned by any one who has taken pains to inform himself upon the subject in its relation to the Illinois Wesleyan University. We believe co-education of the sexes is American, Christian and rational. The writer was in a position to judge of the effect the admission of ladies had upon the young men, at the time, and now occupies the most advantageous position for observing the working of the principle in its effect upon both sexes, and he does not hesitate to say that co-education refines the young man and makes him more gentlemanly without weakening him, and strengthens and broadens the young woman without rendering her in any sense masculine. In fact we heartily endorse the sentiment expressed by Lady Henry Somerset in her recent address before the World's W. C. T. U.

She said: "Closely related to the movements that occupy our thought is one which in the United States has been worked out to an assured success, and that is co-education. It is my deliberate conviction that for the hysteria into which so many men and women novelists have fallen, and for the keyed-up public mind that is willing to exploit their product, there is no remedy so sane and sound as the education of our young people together, from the kindergarten until they complete their course in technical or professional schools. If anybody dared to speak the truth about boys' public schools in England, there would be a social convulsion compared with which not even the lamentable disclosures of the past winter are to be mentioned. When we try to segregate girls and women into school or harem, boys or men into school or government, we have frustrated God's grace, and we must pay the penalty."



HENRIETTA HALL.

### THE WOMAN'S EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

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The admission of women to all departments of the university awakened greater interest in the education of young women among the patrons of the college generally and especially among the women themselves. A more rational conception of the education of women and of the

importance of the higher education was held. This took definite form in 1874 in the organization of the Woman's Educational Association of the Illinois Wesleyan University. The object of the organization is set forth in the annual catalogue of the university of that year:

"The right of this society to exist may be explained in a few words. Women being admitted to the Illinois Wesleyan University, the authorities have indicated their wish to place in the board of instruction competent women as professors. In view of this, many of the friends of the institution have deemed it proper to express their approval, by liberally endowing at least one chair. The reasons for endowing this chair are: First, the need of more funds for the adequate support of professors; secondly, the establishing of this woman's professorship beyond all contingency, for all time to come. Accordingly, on the 3d of June, 1874, with the approval of the executive board of the university, a society was formed, and the necessary officers were appointed; and it was subsequently approved by the board of trustees and visitors.

OBJECTS.—The objects of this society are: First, the endowment of a Woman's Professorship; and secondly, the raising of a fund to provide a home, and assist young women to educate themselves—especially such as are preparing to teach, or are called to missionary work.

PLANS, TERMS, ETC. Gifts for these objects may be made according to the wishes of the donors.

For ten dollars a year a woman may become a member.

For ten dollars per year, for five years, a life member.

For five hundred dollars, a life manager.

For one thousand dollars, a life patron.

By the payment of appropriate amounts, gentlemen may become honorary members, life managers, or life patrons.

Gifts may be made on terms and time to suit donors."

The association at once opened a boarding hall under the direc-

tion of Mrs. C. A. Hart as superintendent. "In September, 1875, the association leased the building known as 'Major's College,' and opened a ladies' boarding hall on the Mt. Holyoke plan, and thus put in practice its second object, namely: the establishment of a Christian home where young ladies of any denomination, desiring to educate themselves, can have board at the lowest possible rates."

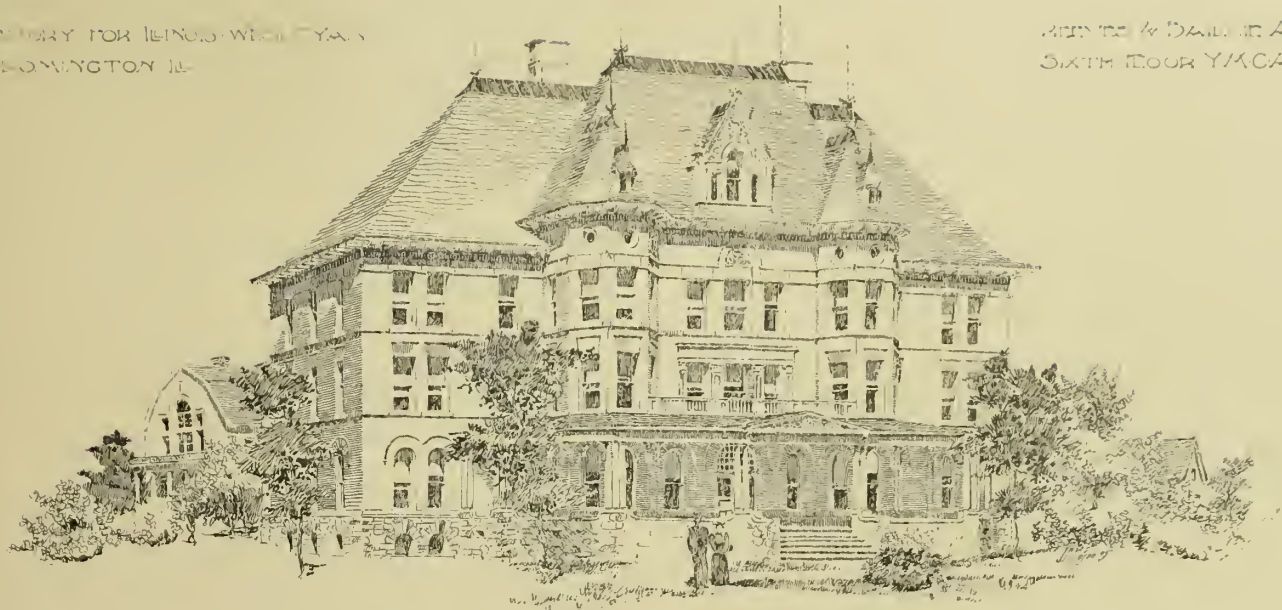
Subsequently the association purchased the "Major's College" property, which consisted of a beautiful block of nearly three acres and the college building. In 1884 Charles and Henrietta Cramp gave four thousand dollars to liquidate the indebtedness on the property. The association, however, agreed to pay them an annuity on the amount during the natural lives of Mr. and Mrs. Cramp. The hall was afterwards known as Henrietta Hall in honor of Mrs. Cramp. It was understood, also, that the Cramp fund, mentioned elsewhere in this book, should apply, when available, upon the endowment of the professorship selected by the association.

Several thousand dollars were expended in remodeling, repairing and finishing the hall; thirteen hundred twenty-three were raised toward an endowment of a chair which was to be selected when the amount reached five thousand dollars.

The ladies most active in the work of the association were Mrs. Prof. Jacques, Mrs. Jennie Fowler Willing, who for a short time was professor in the institution, Mrs. Sue M. D. Fry, Mrs. A. R. Riggs, Mrs. Olga Updegraff, Miss Sarah Raymond, Mrs. Jackman and other elect women of Bloomington, who ungrudgingly for years gave time, energy, substance and devout prayers unto God for the advancement of the object of the association. For a number of years, Mrs. Fry, the only woman on the faculty of the college of letters, lived in the hall and was the wise and accomplished head of the Christian home. The capacity of the hall to accommodate young women was fairly taxed for some

LADIES' DORMITORY FOR ILLINOIS WESLEYAN  
UNIVERSITY BLOOMINGTON, IL.

DESIGNED BY DAVID H. ARCHITECTS  
SIXTH FLOOR Y.M.C.A. BUILDING



time and the women of the association deserved the congratulations of the trustees and public upon the success of their enterprise.

After a few years, the building being old and not susceptible of easy conversion into a hall after the ideas of modern architecture and appointments, the expenses became heavy on account of repairs. Mrs. Fry, whose presence was an essential factor in the home life, no longer lived in the hall, young women ceased to desire to board there, and as the success of the boarding hall depended upon attendance by young women, the association finally disbanded in 1892, the hall having been

virtually abandoned by the association as a home some time before.

Before the association disbanded, however, its property and obligations were turned over to the board of trustees of the university. The old building has been torn down and the campus platted and accepted by the city as the Wesleyan subdivision of the city of Bloomington, and the lots are now being sold. Plans are being formed for a new hall to be erected in the spring and summer of 1896. A photogravure of the perspective view is shown above. The estimated cost of the building is fifteen thousand dollars, exclusive of furniture.



## THE COLLEGE OF LAW.

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The Law Department of the University was organized and put in operation April 1, 1874, by Judge R. M. Benjamin and Owen T. Reeves. The first class was graduated in June, 1875, consisting of seven members. Among the early instructors in this department, beside the persons above named, were the Hon. Robert E. Williams and Judge Lawrence Weldon.

In this department, the method of teaching law mainly by daily recitations from approved text-books, accompanied by familiar expositions and pertinent references to reported cases and the statutes of the State, was first introduced. This method of instruction proved highly satisfactory in its results and attracted marked attention, to such an extent that now in most if not all the law schools of the country the method has come into partial use. In this department, this method of instruction has grown in favor with the bench and bar, as well as in the estimation of the students, and the high standing of the department has been gained largely by its method of teaching, combined with the efficiency of its corps of instructors.

Nearly three hundred students have been graduated since the department was organized, many of whom are now occupying leading positions at the bar and some, important judicial positions. Judge Reuben M. Benjamin was the dean of the department from its organization to June, 1891, and was succeeded on his voluntary retirement by the present dean, Owen T. Reeves.

Beside the dean and Judge Benjamin, the faculty consists of Judge Colin D. Myers, John J. Morrissey, Jacob P. Lindley and Rolland A. Russell, all graduates of the department and thoroughly competent instructors. Judge John M. Scott, ex-chief justice of the supreme court of

the State, has rendered the department valuable service by delivering each year a course of most interesting lectures to the students. Judge Lawrence Weldon, an early instructor, has also delighted the students each year with a course of lectures of great interest.

The attendance of students in this department has steadily increased of late years, and the department promises increased usefulness in the thorough preparation of young men for the legal profession.

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## NON-RESIDENT AND GRADUATE DEPARTMENT.

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Under the inspiration and guidance of President Fallows, the university, in 1874, arranged a series of courses for non-resident students, looking toward the earning of the degrees of Ph. B., M. A., and Ph. D. The object of this step was to furnish lines of systematic study for those professional men and women whose duties and environments are such as to make a resident course of study an impossibility, and yet who earnestly desire systematic study.

The department was placed in charge of Prof. Jacques, and the fees were set at \$25 for the Ph. B. course, and \$30 for the Ph. D. course. The first student to enroll was Rev. G. G. Roberts, of Mohawk Valley, Ohio, on October 3, 1874. During the first eight years of its existence enrollments were not numerous, averaging six a year for the first five years.

After being in control for a couple of years, Prof. Jacques gave way to Prof. Crow, and the latter seems to have remained in charge until 1882, when Prof. C. M. Moss, now of the University of Illinois, was made dean. At once the enthusiasm and energy of the new dean manifested themselves in decided improvement of the courses and in greatly increased enrollment. A Canadian branch was established by him, and

Rev. Dr. Francis R. Beattie, of Bradford, Ontario, was placed in charge, to be succeeded a few years later, on the removal of Dr. Beattie from Canada, by Dr. T. M. MacIntyre, president of the Presbyterian Female College at Toronto, who still has control there. Shortly after establishing the Canadian course, Dr. Moss also established an English department, placing it under the supervision of Rev. Dr. Joseph Fennimore, at present of Hastings, England. The latter department has met with a fair degree of success, and the Canadian department has been, and is now, remarkably prosperous, there being over sixty strong, earnest students of that country actively pursuing the work.

In the spring of 1891, the connection of Dr. Moss with the university being severed, Dr. R. O. Graham, the present dean, was chosen to take his place. It is not too much to say that the prosperity and success of the department has been as great under the present administration as during any previous period. The courses of study have been thoroughly revised and systematized, and the standards of requirements for entrance and for graduation have been greatly advanced. Nearly one hundred matriculates enter the courses every year, and over four hundred mature, earnest and talented men and women are today taking advantage of the opportunities offered thereby for pursuing a thorough and systematic course of study at home, knowing that rigid examinations will test the thoroughness of their work. The majority of these students are teachers, who have been for years in the class-room and who have learned the need of advancement beyond the field covered by the normal schools, of which most of them are graduates. As none who have not already reached the age of twenty-four years can enter upon any of the courses, and few indeed beyond that age ever undertake a resident course, the department interferes in no way with resident work, and both dean and faculty always encourage those who come within the circle of their influence to enter upon resident study, here or in some other good college,

rather than upon a course of home study. However, the letters that come to them from scores of students whose way to resident work had been completely barred, have convinced those in charge that great good is being accomplished by the department, and that no other plan as yet proposed is so successfully and satisfactorily meeting the needs of this large and worthy body of students, against whom the gates of the college world have been closed.

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### THE PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

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From the beginning the university has maintained a Preparatory Department. With the exception of the two years, 1865-7, when Rev. William R. Goodwin was principal, this department was under the general direction of the faculty until 1883, when, by action of the board of trustees, it was organized into a distinct school, and Rev. Hyre D. Clark was chosen principal.

Since that time its courses have been definitely set forth and so strengthened that its curricula now comprises four year's work and several courses leading to corresponding courses in the College of Letters and Science.

The department has been an important factor in the work of the institution, many of her most eminent graduates having been enrolled among its students.

Within recent years the board has given much attention to this school and has so equipped it that it now ranks among the foremost preparatory schools of the country. Its large patronage from its immediate vicinity indicates its efficiency and merit. The principal and three assistants give their entire time to this school, while most of the college professors assist in their respective departments.





BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF THE CAMPUS.

The average enrollment has been 163, with the exception of the year 1893-4, when there was a general financial depression. The enrollment has increased each succeeding year for the past six years, the number last year being 250.

This school will continue to hold an important place among the departments of the university, and will afford facilities for laying well the foundation for the intellectual and moral development of the youth who may come under its influence.

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### THE COLLEGE PAPER.

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The first paper published in connection with the institution was the Alumni Journal, under the direction of Harvey C. DeMotte and Bradford S. Potter. It was admirably conducted by these men, who for so long a time were identified with the university, from 1870 to 1876, when it became known as the Students' Journal and was conducted by the literary societies. Since 1882 the journalistic spirit of the students has been manifested in the Wesleyan Bee, 1882-7; The Journal, 1885-6, George W. Sikes, of newspaper fame, being its editor; at the same time The News, and the Bee, 1886, James Shaw, editor; The Elite Journal, 1887-92; The Athenian, 1890, Wesleyan Echo, 1891-4; and The Argus, the present college paper.

From the time of the Alumni Journal, 1876, to the Argus, the publications, representing a society or a faction in the university, at no time perhaps reflected the actual life of the institution, though at times they were ably conducted.

That the college paper might be truly representative and advance all the interests of all the students, in the spring of 1894 the faculty in-

vited seven representative students from the junior and senior classes to a conference looking toward the organization of a permanent publishing company. Such an organization was effected, and Clarence E. Snyder was appointed by the faculty as editor-in-chief. He was ably assisted by Joseph K. P. Hawks as business manager; Frank A. McCarty, literary editor; Ruth Henry and J. Riggs Orr, local editors; Irene Bassett, exchange editor, and Edson Hart, subscription agent. The Argus is a twenty-four page paper, published bi-weekly and in magazine form. Position on the editorial staff is considered an honor, and only juniors and seniors are eligible. For the college year 1895-6 the staff is Albert L. Wood, editor-in-chief; Leslie Baker, literary editor; James P. Bicket and Ada Harrison, local editors; Irene Bassett, exchange editor; Edson Hart, business manager; Willard E. Wooding, subscription agent.

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### THE UNIVERSITY PRESS.

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Among other improvements and additions made to the university the past summer, not the least important is the university printing office. The outfit comprises an old-style Gordon jobber, 14x20, run by an electric motor, together with a number of fonts of handsome book type and many artistic job faces, a paper cutter and the other usual appurtenances of the printer's art.

The publishing company, to be known as "The University Press," is composed of members of the faculty, and the office will be conducted in the interest of the university.

For the mutual benefit of students and the university, text-books and stationery will hereafter be kept on sale at the university. The books will be sold at the prices heretofore current, and the profits will be devoted to the building up of the university library.

## OUR FOUNDERS.

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There are few colleges in America that do not represent sublime faith, most rigid economy and patient self-denial on the part of their founders. The law of perfection through suffering has a two-fold application, to the institution and also to its founders. The greatest and best institutions of human society have some chapters of keenest suffering and purest sacrifice. The free State, the free Church and the Christian college took root simultaneously in the soil of the New World, and the freedom of the State has ever been conserved by the college. Harvard rose at the founding of a free State by devout and pious men who profoundly believed that their liberties would be best perpetuated to the generations unborn by sanctified learning.

This faith and spirit characterized the men who tamed the wild prairies of Illinois. As at Plymouth Rock, here the Church preceded the State and made it possible, whereupon the college was conceived in the throes of heroic sacrifice.

It would have afforded the editor purest pleasure to have presented the portraits of all these chief actors in the birth throes of the Illinois Wesleyan University, but acceptable photographs of some of the most worthy were not to be obtained.

COL. JAMES ALLIN.

The man most actively identified with the organization of McLean county, who gave Bloomington its name and gave the land upon which the original town was built, who was also identified with the first movement to establish the university and contributed largely to its success, was Col. James Allin.

Born in North Carolina in 1788, he settled at Edwardsville, Illinois, in 1819, having spent several years of his youth in Kentucky. In 1821 he removed to Vandalia, Illinois, where he continued to reside until 1829, when he removed to what was known as Blooming Grove, now Bloomington, where he resided until the time of his death in 1869. Upon his arrival at Blooming Grove he erected a double-log house, one end of which he used for a residence and the other for a store.

In 1831 he was influential in securing the organization of McLean county, gave twenty-two and one-half acres of land at the north end of Blooming Grove for a site for the county seat of the new county, and named the new town Bloomington.

He was a man upright in character, far-sighted in business, public-spirited, and possessed of many elements of popularity and real leadership. He was elected State Senator in 1836, and later served another term. He was one of the earliest promoters of the university, and carried into his duties as trustee the zeal and enthusiasm which characterized his efforts in founding the city. His public spirit and liberality perhaps prevented him from improving the opportunity to accumulate a fortune, and he died comparatively poor but universally respected, with the consciousness that he had served well his day and generation.

An imperious will enabled him to succeed where others failed, and to live when others died. It is related of him that when so critically ill as to have called a council of physicians, and noting their solemn tones and despair written in their countenances he said: "I know what your decision is. It is that I am going to die; but I won't die." And recover he did. At another time, when his son William was very ill and it was thought that he could not live, James said to him: William, I would not die if I were you; I would not give way." Indomitable will may inspire another to successes otherwise impossible.

## WILLIAM H. ALLIN.

The subject of this sketch has been described as a "man of medium size, slenderly built, healthy complexion, rather light hair, sharp-pointed nose and dark, penetrating eyes. He was very polite in his manner, and was a favorite with all with whom he had to do."

He was a son of James Allin, and assisted, as did his father, in the organization of the university as a trustee. He was a thoroughly honest man, according to the testimony of those who knew him, and was intelligent, discreet and energetic in business and a staunch supporter of the university.

## HON. JAMES MILLER.

James Miller whose grandfather was a Presbyterian minister in Ireland, was born of Scotch-Irish parents, 1795, in Rockingham county, Virginia. In 1811 his parents moved to Madison county, Kentucky, where James grew to manhood and entered business. His education had been with a view to farming as an occupation, but manifesting decided taste and talent for trade, he became a most successful merchant, being associated with John Magoun in 1835 and later with John E. McClun, in the city of Bloomington.

At the early age of twenty he performed the responsible duties of the office of collector and sheriff. Though born and educated in a slave-holding community, he was not in sympathy with the institution of African slavery, and determined not to bring up his children in a pro-slavery atmosphere. Accordingly he came to Bloomington, Illinois, in 1835, and invested largely in land. He was prominently identified with the chief enterprises which contributed to the development of the county and city. His ability and integrity were recognized by the people of the State, who elected him to the high office of treasurer in 1856, and so efficiently did he fulfill the trust reposed in him, that he was

elected to succeed himself in 1858. He honored his office and State.

At the age of twenty he became an avowed Christian, and, though his environment, socially, commercially and politically, prompted to a different course, he united with the Methodist Episcopal church, to which he adhered until his death, 1872. If the testimonies of those who knew him are trustworthy, he honored the church by his membership, and adorned the doctrine of Jesus Christ. During his long and useful life he held perhaps all the offices in the church to which laymen were eligible in his day, and in them all was respected, zealous, faithful, and efficient. He was especially active in the organization of the university, and was one of its chief founders.

## JOHN MAGOUN.

John Magoun was born June 14, 1806, in Plymouth county, Massachusetts, of a most respectable family, whose first American ancestor was John Magoun, a free-holder in Massachusetts in 1666. Left fatherless in his teens, young John went to Boston, where he alternated between teaching school in the winter and working at the mason's trade in summer, which trade he learned thoroughly and practiced honestly.

In 1835 he came west, and in 1836 joined the Hudson colony, that entered twenty sections of land ten miles north of Bloomington. For a number of years he worked at his trade, and assisted in laying the brick of the first court house building in McLean county. For a short time he engaged in business with James Miller at Clinton, Illinois, and then later with Judge John E. McClun, at Bloomington, and later still with McClun and others in the banking business, becoming a partner in the People's Bank. He was a man of fine business ability and accumulated considerable property, which he used more for the benefit of the public than to gratify any selfish desires. He was a devoted Christian and member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and was fully identified



with the university from its inception to the day of his death in 1878.

Though unmarried, he was a true lover of humanity, and was invariably affable and courteous in his dealings with his fellow-men. Deserved kind words are too often unspoken until after death has claimed those deserving them, but it was written of Magoun while he was yet living: "Few men have lived in any community so distinguished for kindness of heart, for charity and purity of life; gentleness of spirit and kindness of heart were characteristics of his entire life. No man ever lived whose heart has been more warm and open to the wants of the poor; crowds of the distressed and destitute have always waited upon him, and the worthy and needy applicant has never been turned away empty. Eyes has he been to the blind, and feet to the lame; he has been a father to the poor, and the cause which he knew not he has sought out. He has sought neither honor nor position in the world, but has striven only to do good and make all with whom he came in contact happier and better."

I doubt not these words truly characterize John Magoun. He seems to have been a veritable living Greatheart to the multitudes of impotent, and, at the same time, a prince among the most stalwart men.

In business, misfortune overtook him in the failure of the People's bank in 1876, which was so disastrous to many patrons of the university. While his prosperity was swept away and he was left practically penniless, he bequeathed to the world the memory of a spotless character and built for himself the most enduring monument in the lives enriched by deeds of kindness and mercy, and gifts to the Illinois Wesleyan University which will forever cherish and perpetuate the memory of his gentle and manly spirit and his truly Christian life. His personal influence, discriminating judgment and liberality contributed largely to the life and growth of the university, and will cause him to be remembered when others who amassed princely fortunes are forgotten.

#### JOHN EDWARD M'CLUN.

John Edward McClun was a native of Virginia, having been born in Frederick county, 1812. His father was a devout member of the Society of Friends, and his maternal grandfather was a soldier in the war of the Revolution, and yielded up his life as a sacrifice in the cause of American Independence. John

was the youngest of a family of seven children, all boys, and was left to the care of his mother when but a child, his father having died when John was about eight years old. Of his mother he said: "If I have anything commendable in my character, I certainly owe it all under God to my mother. She taught me to be honest, and I have tried so to live; she taught me always to be employed at something, and I have tried to be industrious; she taught me to speak evil of no man or woman so far as I could avoid it, and the observance of that rule has wonderfully smoothed the asperities of my life; she taught me the fear of the Lord, and I have always been able to realize through



JOHN E. M'CLUN

a long life that God was around and about my pathway."

If the testimony of the books was not accessible, the world had abundant evidence to believe that Judge John E. McClun was born well and received good instruction in childhood. Blessed is the child of such a mother!



His advantages for an education were exceedingly limited, yet by diligent application he became a fair scholar, and at the age of twenty he was able to teach a respectable school which he did for three years, when he determined to go west. In June, 1836, he entered the store of David Duncan as clerk at Waynesville, Illinois, where he remained until the spring of 1837, when he went into the mercantile business on his own account at Bloomington. He prospered in business and was recognized as one of McLean county's most substantial citizens. From 1842 to 1846, he was under contract with the government to conduct all mail routes passing through Bloomington; from 1849 to 1852 he served as county judge; from 1852 to 1857 he served his district in the legislature of the State, and was a member of the State board of agriculture. In politics he was an old line Whig and naturally a Republican until 1872, when he supported his friend and neighbor, Judge David Davis, as a Liberal Republican in his candidacy for the nomination for president.

He was a devout Christian and active member of the First Methodist Episcopal church, serving it in the capacity of class-leader, steward, trustee and superintendent of the Sunday school for twenty years. He took a deep interest in the organization of the university, and as trustee gave it intelligent and efficient service as long as he lived. His gifts were liberal and well timed, his faith in the possibilities of the institution great, and his devotion to its interests constant.

#### JONATHAN TOTTEN.

Jonathan Totten was born in 1821, in Morris county, New Jersey; died in Bement, Illinois, April 3, 1894. He was married to Maria Schureman in 1843, and ten years later settled in the vicinity of what is now Green Valley, Tazewell county, Illinois. Here he lived for thirty years, during which time, by unremitting industry, strict economy and

moral integrity he acquired a competency. He was an earnest and intelligent Christian and a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and was largely instrumental in the establishment of the church in Green Valley, to which he bequeathed the sum of \$2,000, the principal to be intact and the interest available perpetually. Inspired by Dr. Buck's first generous gift of \$12,500 to the endowment fund of the Illinois Wesleyan University, Mr. Totten, after a conversation with Dr. Buck, set apart the sum of \$6,000 to go toward the endowment of a chair of Natural Science in the university, which sum has been turned over to the trustees by his executor. Like a good steward, he has thus invested his Lord's money where it will go on blessing the world through generations to come.

#### JESSE E. BURCH, TRUSTEE AND TREASURER.

In 1850 a young man of quiet demeanor, intelligent, well educated and devout, entered the city of Bloomington and began the practice of law. He had been graduated from Asbury College, Greencastle, Indiana, some few years before, and, fully appreciating the value of a Christian college to the Church and State, he soon became deeply interested in the effort to establish the Illinois Wesleyan. Well poised in mind, suave in manner, manly, dignified and scrupulously honest in his relations with men, and consistent, earnest and sincere as a Christian, he became a wise counsellor to the university as trustee, and a valuable and trusted treasurer, in which capacity he served the institution until his death in 1876. Such is our recollection of Jesse Burch.

It was said that he was an excellent office lawyer though he never accumulated riches. His most valuable services to the university did not consist of gifts of money but rather of faithful and disinterested zeal in caring for its funds and contributing that kind of service so essential to its life that money cannot buy.

## CHARLES W. C. MUNSELL.

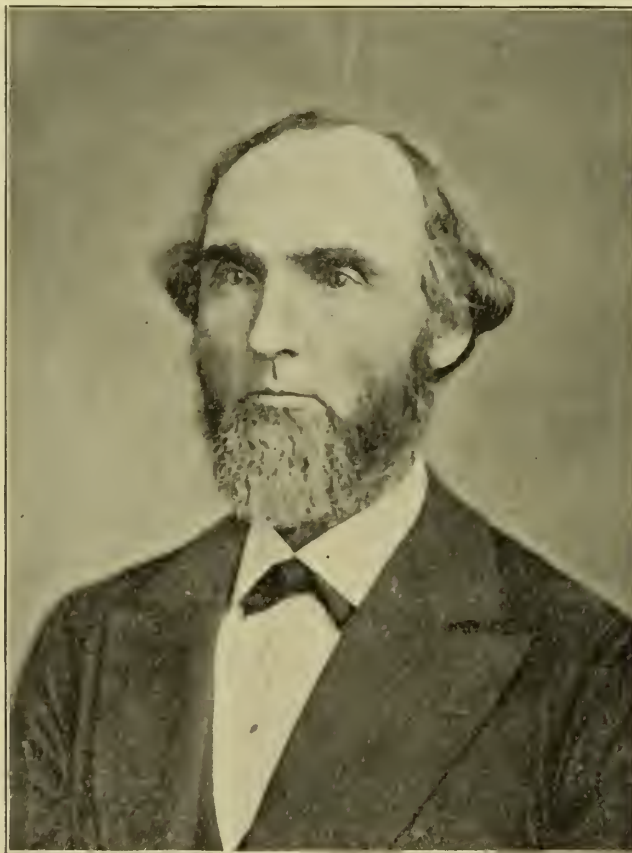
FINANCIAL AGENT OF THE UNIVERSITY FROM  
1857 TO 1873.

Judge Reeves says truthfully that for many years in the critical period in the history of the university, Rev. Charles W. C. Munsell devoted most intelligent and unremitting attention to its financial interest, and the university is indebted to him largely for its financial prosperity.

Charles W. C. Munsell was born in Ohio in 1822, and came to Illinois in 1832. In childhood he began to lay the foundation of that education which served him so well as financial agent of the Illinois Wesleyan University during the years of severe labor for successful birth. Before he was twelve years of age, he was employed in a store and counting-room, and by the time he reached young manhood was thoroughly versed in the forms and methods of business.

He was admitted to the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal church in the Illinois Conference in 1846. He served successively and successfully Shelbyville Circuit, Shawneetown, Georgetown Circuit, Marshall, and Danville. In these charges he met with great success, especially in look-

ing after the financial and material interests of the church.



CHARLES W. C. MUNSELL.

While at Danville in 1850, he became much interested in the educational enterprises of the church and raised the funds necessary for establishing the Danville Seminary, which for a number of years was an important school in Eastern Illinois. He was also chiefly instrumental in raising funds for the Shelbyville Seminary, which for fifteen years was one of our chief schools. In 1856 he was elected trustee of the Illinois Wesleyan University and appointed its financial agent by Bishop Simpson. This year marks the beginning of a task which required tact, zeal, faith in a large measure in man, in God, and in His cause. The monetary panic of 1857 and the distraction of the Civil War made the task a most difficult one. The school was without money, without buildings, save the mere walls of the first structure reared on the present campus, and in debt \$4,200, on which the trustees were paying twenty-two per cent interest. It had been suspended, its local friends disheartened, and, but for the faith and skill of Charles W. C. Munsell and his brother, who at that time was chosen president, it could never have met its obligations. Agent Munsell found a few old notes and other scholarship notes of three or four varieties, which if met

would not aggregate half enough to meet the outstanding obligations. An attempt had been made to raise one hundred thousand dollars in ten annual installments, but nothing was binding until half the amount was secured which would make good the first five installments subscribed; but this condition proved to be a fatal defect in the subscriptions, few of which were ever paid. Many friends had been alienated because they had been sued by the contractors on notes turned over to them. Despair seemed to settle down upon all but the Munsell Brothers and a few faithful men in Bloomington. In 1864, at the time the fifth installment of the subscriptions became due, a crisis was reached. Mr. Munsell called the creditors together, stated the facts and proposed to go to the individual subscribers and ask them to pay as large amount as possible of their subscriptions on short time on the simple condition that the entire debt was cancelled by a given date. The creditors accepted the proposition, as did many of the subscribers, and in July, 1864, the debts were canceled, the creditors were paid principal and interest, but nothing was left of the old assets except three or four notes that never were collected.

In 1866, Mr. Munsell was largely instrumental in awakening an interest in an offering to the Illinois Wesleyan University, it being the centennial year of Methodism. It was under the inspiration of these offerings and the prosperous condition of the school so far as attendance was concerned, that the main building was projected, toward the completion of which Mr. Munsell contributed a large share. Too great praise cannot be given Mr. Munsell for his intelligent and self-sacrificing prosecution of this great work, especially when we remember that for ten years he labored wholly at his own expense, not receiving compensation for correspondence or traveling expenses, and for fifteen years without a salary. Mr. Munsell is a man of fine sensibilities, unassuming and modest in manner, and pure in private and public life.

## LUCY ABIGAIL WILLIAMS.

Miss Lucy Abigail Williams, one of the elect women of the nineteenth century, and a patron of the Illinois Wesleyan University, was born in Vermont in 1816, and died near Pittsfield, Illinois, in 1893. Having secured a good academic education, she taught school in Troy New York, and in Illinois for several years after emigrating to that State with her parents in 1838. In 1874 she was left without relatives and alone with the management of an estate which would have been large but for her generous nature. This she managed with great skill and ability, while her benefactions were numerous, never missing an opportunity to do good both to the souls and to the bodies of men. She was a most generous supporter of all local church and charitable enterprises. She gave also largely to the connectional interests of the Methodist church, of which she was a member. She was truly an elect woman of God, and for generations to come people will remember her life, and hold sacred her memory. Her last gift to the Illinois Wesleyan University was by bequest, \$600, and a *pro rata* interest in the residuum after bequests are paid. Her influence for sanctified learning is not to be measured by her pecuniary gifts, though these were not inconsiderable. If one woman in every ten in America were such in character and action as was Miss Williams, the treasuries of charitable and benevolent institutions would be full, the educational institutions which stand for scholarship and most godlike character would be richly endowed with millions of money and equipped with buildings, laboratories, museums, libraries, and all holy environment that money can procure.

For deep conviction of the savableness of mankind, faith in the divinity and efficiency of the Christian religion to regenerate the race, clear conception of her relation to God as his steward, sympathy in the presence of the suffering and oppressed, and power of discriminating the merits of philanthropic appeals, she was one of a thousand.



## ISAAC FUNK.

FOUNDER OF THE ISAAC FUNK PROFESSORSHIP OF CHEMISTRY AND ZOOLOGY.

Honorable Isaac Funk was born of German parentage in 1797, in Clark county, Kentucky. In 1823 he emigrated to Illinois and entered a tract of land at Funk's Grove, where, by industry, honesty, and self-denial, he accumulated a vast fortune, and developed a sterling character which became widely known because of his life and work in the Prairie State. Mr. Funk was blessed with good health, with a powerful physical organism and an indomitable will. This constituted the capital which entered into his immense farm and stock interests. He was a man of strictest integrity, and valued his word as highly as his bond, saying often to his boys, "Suffer your right hand to be cut off, but swear not falsely, and keep your promises." He was soon regarded by all who knew him not only as strictly honest, but of such indefatigable energy and indomitable will, that he was capable of fulfilling all his pledges. With this capital he did an extensive business in buying and selling stock. Often would he agree to furnish so many cattle at the Stock Yards in Chicago, for

a certain price six months or a year later, when he had



HON. ISAAC FUNK.

neither cattle nor money with which to buy; then returning to the prairies he would buy cattle wherever they could be

found, giving his word that they would be paid for at a certain date. These he would gather together in herds and graze until ready for the market, when his pledges were invariably redeemed. Whatever profits were realized he at once put into lands, and often when these were too small for his ambition he bought land solely on his original capital, integrity. At a later day, when money was a little more abundant, he would borrow for similar investments, and to meet one of these obligations upon an appointed day due at Springfield, Illinois, he sent \$3,000 in gold in saddlebags by his son Jacob, who reached the father's residence in McLean county at 12 o'clock at night before the payment was due in Springfield the next morning, when his son George arose, saddled a fresh horse and completed the journey in order that Mr. Funk's word might be literally redeemed. This incident throws light upon the character of the elder Funk, and the sons as well, as many capitalists of today would be little concerned about so prompt a redemption of a pledge, and many sons would be incapable of performing the service.

While not educated after the manner of the schools, Mr. Funk had a thoroughly



disciplined mind, an extraordinary memory, and an iron will. In business he was both sagacious and far-seeing. He was one of the founders of the First National bank, Bloomington, Illinois, the last paper he executed being the articles of its organization, in January, 1865.

In religion, he was a devout believer in Christianity and adhered to the doctrines and polity of the Methodist Episcopal church, to which he rendered liberal and loyal support. His body lies in the churchyard at Funk's Grove, where a Methodist church stands as a monument testifying to his faith in the religion of Jesus Christ.

He was an old time Whig in politics, and served one term in the House of Representatives of his State in 1840, and in 1861 he was elected to fill the vacancy in the State Senate, made by the resignation of General Oglesby, who had gone to the defense of the Union. Mr. Funk was re-elected and served as a member of the General Assembly until his death in 1865.

His loyalty to the Union was intense, and often manifested itself in the support of the government by speech and money. Nothing would arouse him so quickly and stir him so profoundly as an expression of sympathy with the States in rebellion, and as occasion was often presented during the war, this strong passion did much to awaken patriotism and disarm disunion at home. There is one event worthy of record here.

In 1863, while the Senate was considering a bill having for its object the aid of the Sanitary Commission, Mr. Funk, inspired by the love of country, delivered in support of the bill a most telling speech whose immediate effects were indescribable. Sympathizers with the Southern Confederacy had busied themselves and were exerting a powerful influence for its defeat, though not outwardly attacking the bill.

"Mr. Speaker: I can sit in my seat no longer and see such boys' play going on. These men are trifling with the best interests of the country. They should have asses' ears to set off their heads, or they

are secessionists and traitors at heart. I say there are traitors and secessionists at heart in this Senate. Their actions prove it. Their speeches prove it. Their gibes and laughter and cheers here nightly, when their speakers get up in this hall and denounce the war and the administration prove it. \* \* \* \*

"Mr. Speaker, you must excuse me; I could not sit longer in my seat and calmly listen to these traitors. My heart, that feels for my poor country, would not let me. My heart, that cries out for the lives of our brave volunteers in the field, that these traitors at home are destroying by the thousand, would not let me. My heart, that bleeds for the widows and orphans at home, would not let me. Yes, these villains and traitors and secessionists in this Senate are killing my neighbors' boys now fighting in the field. \* \* \* \*

\* \* \* They should be provided with hemp collars. They deserve them. They deserve hanging, I say. The country would be better off to swing them. I go for hanging them, and I dare to tell them so right here to their traitor faces. Traitors should be hung. It would be the salvation of the country to hang them. For that reason I would rejoice at it.

"Mr. Speaker, I beg pardon of the gentlemen in the Senate who are not traitors, but true, loyal men, for what I have said. I only intended it and mean it for secessionists at heart."

Under the influence of President Munsell, Mr. Funk promised to give \$10,000 to the Illinois Wesleyan University. His children knowing of that promise, after his death set apart \$10,000 for the endowment of the "Isaac Funk Professorship," which was the first attempt at the endowment of an individual chair.

If forgotten as a farmer, or citizen, or business man, or patriot. Hon. Isaac Funk will go down to a thousand generations as the first great benefactor and patron of the Illinois Wesleyan University.



HIRAM BUCK.

HIRAM BUCK, D. D.  
TRUSTEE AND CHIEF FOUNDER.

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Among all the friends and patrons of the Illinois Wesleyan University none can be found whose love for the institution has been more pure and constant, whose ambition for it has been more lofty and worthy, or whose gifts have done more to awaken an interest in its permanent growth and endowment than the Rev. Hiram Buck, D. D., who for many years resided at Decatur, Illinois, and at which place he died, August 21, 1892. He was born in Steuben county, New York, March 1, 1819, and having experienced the new birth of the soul at Moscow, New York, in 1836, at the age of seventeen, he dedicated his life to the service of God and humanity, and united with the Methodist Episcopal church. He was admitted to the ministry of that church in 1843 at the annual session of the Illinois Conference held at Quincy, Illinois, within the bounds of which conference he dedicated one hundred churches to the worship of Almighty God, a record that will not be made of another man, no matter how great his skill in such services. His entire life was unselfishly devoted to the church and the special interests of the Illinois Conference, and such devotion was rarely excelled even by the pioneer with whom he was contemporary. He was at once recognized as a man of ability and took high rank in his conference, serving its most important charges as pastor, and at the early age of thirty-three Bishop Ames appointed him to the presiding eldership in which office he served twenty-three of the forty-nine years of his notable ministry.

He brought to this office the learning and eloquence of an able preacher, the tact and skill of a wise administrator, and the broad and generous sympathy of a noble and unselfish nature. As a presiding elder he served with honor to himself and the church the Danville, Bloomington, Champaign and Decatur districts, beginning and ending

his work as presiding elder on the Danville district. In the performance of the functions of this important office, he commanded and merited the confidence of bishop, presiding elders, preachers and people. The full measure of his large ability and unquestioned integrity were brought to the maintenance and execution of every trust reposed in him by the church.

In caring for the interests of the preachers of his district, he was unsurpassed by any of his contemporaries in office. Ever watchful, tender-hearted and sympathetic, his brethren learned to trust and love him as a true friend.

The invincible logic, intense fervor, thrilling eloquence and often melting pathos of many of his sermons made the quarterly meeting occasions times of great interest and profit to both preachers and people. His commanding presence, his over-mastering oratory, his passionate enthusiasm and his transparently honest earnestness will long be remembered by those who saw and heard him in the prime days of his full-orbed manhood.

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He was four times elected to represent the Annual Conference in the General Conference of the church, viz.: In 1856, 1872, 1876 and 1880, and in this we may well recognize not only his popularity with his brethren in his ministry, but his native genius for government, his pre-ordained destiny to be a leader of men and great movements, and his eminent fitness to be entrusted with the most sacred interests of the church.

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Dr. Buck was the ardent and unwavering friend, advocate and patron of higher education, and in the prime of his best manhood he turned aside from the regular work of the ministry to devote his time and energies to the advancement of our educational work. The institu-

tions of his own conference lay nearest his heart, and their financial embarrassment awakened his deepest sympathy. In 1863 he was appointed financial agent of the Illinois Female College at Jacksonville, and in 1869 agent for the Illinois Wesleyan University at Bloomington. In this capacity he served the former institution one year and the latter three years.

"During the last twenty-five years of his life these two institutions have continued to draw increasingly upon the sympathies of his heart and the best thought and energy of his tireless brain, until thought and sympathy, accumulating energy and generating action, finally crystallized themselves in the munificence of princely gifts, which will make his name immortal, his influence perpetual, and his example an inspiration to many others, to consecrate their worldly substance to the cause of Christian education. While the ardent friend of education in general, and of Christian education in particular, the Illinois Wesleyan University, because of its location, its management, its aims and its future possibilities, lay nearer his heart than any other similar institution of learning."

*Illinois Conference Minutes, 1892.*

Soon after President Wilder became president, Dr. Buck informed him that he had determined to give finally a large portion of his estate to the university. After mature reflection, knowing the great need of greater endowment for the university, and believing that it is wise for a person to administer on his own estate and his duty to provoke others also to good works, he executed a warranty deed of land valued at \$12,500, now worth \$15,000, in favor of the trustees of the university, reserving a life interest for himself and Mrs. Buck. This gift was further conditioned in that the university should raise \$25,000 more for the same purposes by January 1, 1892. This condition was fully met in September, 1891, when a similar deed was executed of land valued at \$15,000 on the condition that the university should raise \$30,000 more

endowment purposes by January 1, 1893. This last condition was fully met a few months after his death, in August, 1892. As we review this review this remarkable ministry of devotion to God and the Methodist church, which was so fruitful for nearly half a century, these final acts appear a grand climax in the life of this man of God. His gift of \$30,000 secured directly to the university endowment \$55,000 more, not including \$6,000 from Jonathan Totten, who was moved by Dr. Buck's course to bequeath this amount to the university. A number of others also under the same influence are known to have made similar provision. What this gift may contribute to the ages to come to the good of human society by promoting sanctified learning is beyond human conception. Most fitting end of a noble earthly ministry.

Hiram Buck has immortalized himself in these gifts especially, and hereafter it must be written of him:—The chief founder of the Illinois Wesleyan University. No more worthy object could have engaged his attention and received his beneficence than this which stands for the highest Christian education.

REV. COLIN D. JAMES.

Among the ministers especially interested in the movement in 1850 to found an institution of learning at Bloomington was Colin D. James, an honored member of the Illinois Conference. He was born in Virginia, 1808, and died in 1888, honored and loved by all who knew him. His father having been a practicing physician and a local preacher in the Methodist church, he had advantages for an education superior to those of the average youth of the day, which were well improved. As a preacher he has been described as "exceedingly practical, sententious, pithy, earnest and devoted." Though he served but one term of three years as trustee, his services were highly appreciated, and continued long after his official relation was severed.



## MRS. MARTHA A. BUCK.

TRUSTEE SINCE 1892.

Mrs. Martha A. Buck was elected trustee in 1892 for the unexpired term of Dr. Buck, whose death occurred that autumn, and is now serving her second term. Sharing the large interest that Dr. Buck himself had in the institution from its struggling infancy, that interest has been intensified, having taken an active part in the business of the board of trustees. In the death of Dr. Buck the university lost a warm friend, a wise counselor a sagacious trustee, and skillful in execution, but found a friend in Mrs. Buck, as devoted to its interests and determined to advance its prosperity, enlarge its sphere of usefulness and enrich the society of the commonwealth. She was born in Bourbon county, Kentucky, and came when only three years old to Illinois with her father, John Hammitt, who was the second white settler in Coles county. She was married to Hiram Buck, September 17, 1846. Her industry, intelligence, and excellency of womanly character were valuable contributions to the success of her husband's ministry and the accumulation of property. Of this union there were

no children born, but Mrs. Buck, out of her kindness of heart,



MRS. MARTHA A. BUCK.

gave the the advantages of a Christian home, where every want was kindly met, to four nieces who were all reared to young womanhood and well provided for, two of whom later she ministered unto as tenderly as a fond mother until death claimed them. Her home is now brightened by the presence of two orphan children of one of these nieces, for whom she provides as if they were her own.

Mrs. Buck is a woman of fine presence, keen wit, well informed as to the great philanthropical, educational, social and religious topics of the day, and in many ways unknown not only to the public but to her friends, contributes to the needy and worthy.

She is a staunch supporter of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, and has educated at least one native girl in one of the foreign fields. Since her election as trustee of the university she has become much interested in its proper endowment and is now especially interested in the erection of a new hall for ladies and was the first to subscribe five hundred dollars toward the building. Her relation to this enterprise is sufficient guaranty to all who know her that every detail will be worked out in wisdom to completeness.

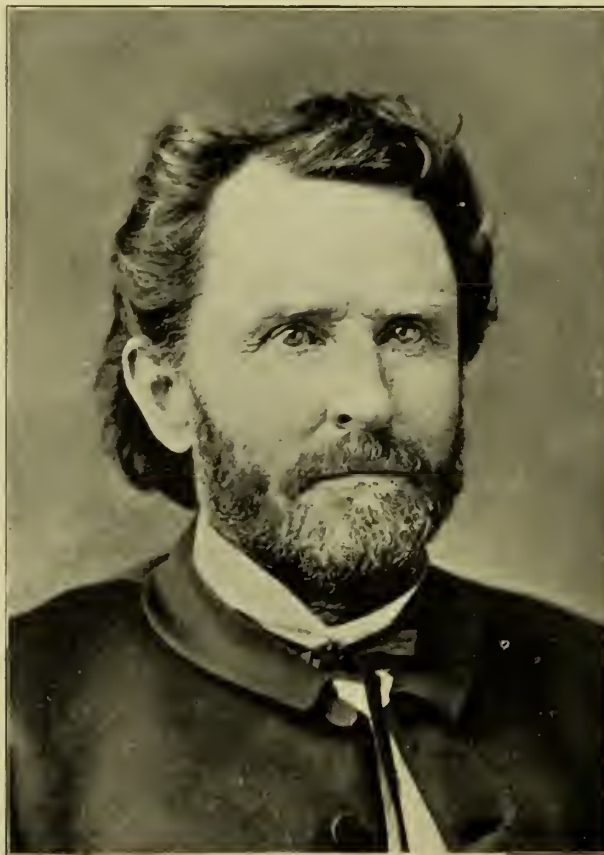
## WILLIAM SWAIM PRENTICE.

TRUSTEE AND ONE OF THE CHIEF PATRONS.

Rev. William Swaim Prentice, D. D., a descendant of Captain Thomas Prentice who came from England and settled at Newton, Massachusetts, in 1650, was born in 1819 in St. Clair county, Illinois. He availed himself of the best advantages afforded in the schools of that early day, and when but a youth obtained an appointment as clerk in the United States Land Office at Vandalia, at that time the capitol of the State. He was soon afterwards employed in the State Auditor's office, and came to Springfield upon the removal of the Capitol to that place, where he made his home from 1867 until the time of his death. He was intimately acquainted with all the public men of the State during his young manhood, and was a favorite of Hon. Stephen A. Douglas, through whom he secured an appointment under the government at Washington, D. C. He was also greatly interested in military affairs, and rose to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the State militia and served as Aid upon the Governor's staff.

He entered the ministry in the Illinois

conference of the Methodist Episcopal church in 1849, and



WILLIAM S. PRENTICE.

soon rose to a commanding position not only in the councils of his conference but of his denomination. In skill as an administrator, and especially in the office of presiding elder, which office he filled for twenty-four years, he excelled. He was exceedingly modest, and in whatever he believed to be right he was as firm as a pillar mortised in rock. He had the art of influencing and controlling men in the affairs of the Church developed in a larger degree than any other man I have known, and yet was seldom heard upon the conference floor, or in the deliberative body. As another has said, "He was a man of superior judgment. Give brother Prentice the premises, let the subject be what it might, and he would give you dispassionate and clear judgment, whether you fell into his conclusion or not, and you saw ample reason for coming to his conclusion. He was a man than who no man ever lived was truer to his friends."

His mind was thoroughly disciplined, and his powers were brought into unusual control, and were made to answer the demands of reason and an enlightened conscience; for this reason his opinion was sought as that of no other man in his conference contemporary with him. I think

all who knew him will readily concede that he was the greatest Presiding Elder in the history of the Illinois conference.

From the earliest days of the Illinois Wesleyan University he was one of its wisest counselors and truest friends. For about thirty years he was intimately associated with Dr. Buck in planning for its development, and may be truly considered as one of its founders. It was unto this man that President Munsell often went in the hours of its extremity for wisdom in directing the affairs of the institution; and in Dr. Prentice President Adams confided more than in any other man; and if the truth were known, it would doubtless appear that Dr. Prentice influenced him more than any one other individual. The Illinois Wesleyan University will ever rejoice in his memory, and consider that it honored himself in conferring upon William S. Prentice the degree of D. D., in 1875.

REV. JOHN S. BARGER.

A character long to be remembered by the students who were at the university previous to 1876 was that of John S. Barger, trustee from 1850 to 1862, one year financial agent, a frequent visitor and an enthusiastic supporter until called to his reward. His son, Rev. James H., received the first degree conferred by the trustees, and later Richard S., another, received its academic honors.

He was born in Virginia in 1803, and died in 1876. Like many of the great men of Illinois, though born in Virginia he spent his youth in Kentucky, where he began his ministry. Having had the best advantages short of a full collegiate course of study, he was fairly well educated. He was tall, and most dignified in mien, and always bore the marks of a true Christian gentleman. His pulpit efforts were scholarly, exceedingly devout, clear, logical and doctrinal. For several years prior to his death he lived in Bloomington and was a frequent visitor at the university.

THE FLORENCE CAMERON SCHOLARSHIP.

In the fall of 1890 a beautiful young woman enrolled in the Freshman class, having prepared for college in the Greenfield high school. Quiet in demeanor, amiable in disposition, and thoroughly earnest in her



FLORENCE CAMERON.

studies, she soon won the affection of both faculty and students; but it was not her destiny to complete a collegiate course of study and exercise her developed powers in doing good on earth. She fell a victim to heart disease August 1, 1891. Her mother, Martha Elzina Cameron, the widow of George W. Cameron, who died in Greenfield, Illinois, October 16, 1886, was left without husband and childless, and as a memorial to Florence, gave \$1,000 to the trustees of the Illinois Wesleyan University, to establish the Florence Cameron Scholarship, the income from which is to be used perpetually to aid worthy young women in securing a Christian education. This

is a beautiful memorial to a pure and spotless young womanhood worthy of kindest remembrance; a memorial, too, of munificence for the coming generation of young women, and not wasted in frivolous display. Mrs. Martha Cameron is a woman of fine business ability and a firm friend of the university.



## OWEN T. REEVES.

PRESIDENT OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND  
DEAN OF LAW SCHOOL.

Judge Owen T. Reeves, B. A., M. A., LL. D., President of the joint Board of Trustees and Dean of the College of Law, was born in Ohio in 1829. He attended the common schools and labored upon his father's farm until he was seventeen years of age, when he entered Salem Academy to prepare for college, and was graduated from the Ohio Wesleyan University in 1850. In 1850 to 1851 he was tutor of languages in the University, and the following year he was principal of Berea Seminary in Cleveland, Ohio. In 1853 he was Principal of the Chillicothe High School and a student of law under the direction of W. T. McClintock. Having been admitted to the bar in 1854, he began the practice of law in Bloomington, Illinois, where his integrity, industry, and ability soon brought him into recognition as one of the leading men of his profession in the State.

In 1862 he raised and commanded the 75th Illinois Volunteers. He was elected circuit judge in 1877, which

position he filled with devotion and rare ability until 1890. His



OWEN T. REEVES.

connection with the Illinois Wesleyan University began in 1854, almost immediately upon his arrival at Bloomington, having been employed to fill out an unexpired term of one of the teachers. He was elected trustee in 1855, and secretary of the Board of Trustees in 1857, and remained in the office and performed its duties until 1876. He has thus been officially connected with the university almost from its organization, and has been a member of its executive committee since 1855, serving as secretary of the Board, chairman of the executive committee, or President of the joint Board of Trustees until this time without pecuniary compensation.

Judge Reeves has been retained in this connection so long because of his wisdom which is not abating, and of the value of his services, which is of greater moment daily. Such long continued, unselfish devotion should never be overlooked though it is often unappreciated, a fact which renders it the more beautiful, valuable, and praiseworthy.

Truth also demands the record of the fact that others have served on the local Board of Trustees and rendered



important service from year to year gratuitously; even at this time there are men devoting time and energy of thought which most men would turn to account in their private business, and all this without money consideration, or the desire for, or thought of it. The secretary and treasurer of the board for some years past have received a small salary, but little if any more than enough to cover actual office expenses. But among all the faithful, no one has served more faithfully or more efficiently with a sublimer faith in the possibilities of the institution than has Judge Owen T. Reeves. It would be impossible to compute the time he has given to its interests since 1855, having made its interests his own, and at the same time he has given largely of his means.

At a banquet given on the twelfth of June, 1895, in honor of Judge Reeves, in recognition of his long service as a member of the board of trustees, Rev. Preston Wood, Sr. in response to the sentiment, "Auld Lang Syne," uttered words of praise well earned by the living and the dead when he said:

"It is a saying that loses none of its force by frequent repetition, that youth lives mostly in the future and age in the past, and this, I presume, is the reason for the assignment of this topic to myself—'Auld Lang Syne.'

"We have all, however, lately lived chiefly in the precincts of the past; delivering decoration day addresses, and preaching memorial sermons. We have moved amid the sacred scenes where sleep the brave; have laid their floral tributes on their graves and fanned them with the breath of praise and of 'waving banners,' and have sympathized with the sublime sentiment, that there is no better place for 'the ivy to shed its leaves than at the foot of the oak that nourished it.'

"My theme today links the present to the past, the living to the dead; and whilst I bring bouquets for the one, I am privileged to bear garlands for the other.

"Early in the fifties my interest in the things that pertained to the well-being of the Illinois Wesleyan University began. It was a babe in swaddlings then, and a puny babe at best; but it had its nursing fathers—clerical and lay—and it never lifted up its voice and wept but they 'had compassion on the child.'

"Among the clergy was that sagacious son of Scotch descent, Reuben Andrus; that eloquent Irishman, Thomas Magee; the pure-minded George Rutledge; the two Peters—Ayers and Cartwright, a little later on, the knightly Hiram Buck; and that crystallization of common sense, William S. Prentice, and others. Some of these men gave out of their penury to this institution until if everything that they had left had been put up for sale and sold at par, it had not aggregated the sum of their beneficence.

"Among the laity, the ever courteous Judge McClun; Jesse Birch, the embodiment of business integrity—that man whom it was a privilege to know; John Magoun, gentle as the daybreak and generous as its light; and among others that I need not name, that stalwart man whose native eloquence in defense of country and of flag shook our Senate halls as they have never been shaken since—making 'treason odious' and traitors tremble in their citadel—Isaac Funk. These are some of the men of 'Auld Lang Syne;' these among the men who made this university possible; they have gone before, and, if 'a monument you ask, look around.'

"Of the survivors of that noble band—that frequent forlorn hope—is one who was always safe in counsel as he was brave to act—one who is the honored guest of this banquet, Judge Owen T. Reeves.

"I rejoice with you that he still retains a bright 'old age, unconscious of decay.' May heaven crown him with its benediction as we crown him with our prayers; and may he be long spared to guide us in our counsels and to inspire us by his actions as in 'Auld Lang Syne!'"

Judge Reeves has been officially connected also with the Law School of the university since its organization, and has contributed largely to its development and success. As dean of the school, he most wisely and ably directs its affairs.

### REV. PETER CARTWRIGHT,

TRUSTEE, 1850-1871.

But few persons into whose hands this sketch will fall have not heard of that man of pioneer fame, Peter Cartwright. He was one of the original trustees and remained an active member until 1871. Though born in Virginia in 1785, his youth and early manhood were spent in Kentucky, where at a meeting held jointly by the Presbyterians and Methodists he was converted in 1801, and soon afterwards entered the ranks as an itinerant minister, being ordained by Bishop Asbury. In 1823 he came to Illinois and settled his family at Pleasant Plains.

For fifty years he was an acknowledged leader among men in laying the foundations of the Church and the State of Illinois. A description of his personal appearance written by Rev. J. L. Crane, who knew him intimately, harmonizes well with the writer's recollection of him:

"Dr. Cartwright was about five feet ten inches high, and had a squarely built, powerful frame, weighing nearly two hundred pounds. He often said that he had a constitution that could wear out two or three threshing machines. His complexion was dark, he had high cheek bones, and a small, piercing black eye. His hair was never very straight, and as his head was very large he presented at times a very bold and formidable look. His hardships and exposure seemed but to add to his manly vigor and produce almost perfect health; and he appreciated the

blessing of heaven so greatly that he had a high regard for the muscular part of his Christianity. Added to and above all his superior physical strength he had a sort of moral and kingly power that belongs to all real heroes, without which the grandest muscular development is but as wood, hay and stubble. His gesticulation, his manner of listening, his walk and his laugh were peculiar, and would command attention in a crowd of a thousand. There was something undefinable about the whole man, that was attractive to the majority of people, and made them linger in his presence, and made them want to see him again."

The writer will never forget the impression he received the first time he saw Peter Cartwright. It was in childhood and at a week day quarterly meeting at which Dr. Cartwright presided. I sat by my parents in the pew, and the preacher arose in the old-fashioned high box pulpit to preach. The subject was the "Fall of Jericho." The blasts of the seven trumpets of rams' horns were made intensely realistic by his powerful voice, piercing black eyes, and massive head with its apparently coarse and unkempt hair as it appeared over the top of the pulpit. Whatever the message was, the messenger was frightful and terrible to the child worshiper.

There was much more than the physical to Dr. Cartwright, though unique in presence and address. As Mr. Crane has written, the great truths of Christianity had engaged his attention and occupied his thoughts; and to this day, what can be more stimulating to mental activity and more conducive to mental health or mental power. The soul which gives itself to these truths cannot stagnate, neither can the mind become inactive or move in a little circle of sense. To such a mind the world or universe never becomes as small as itself. "His mind naturally and readily perceived the strong points of a subject and did not waste its energies on side issues, and hence he soon became acknowledged as a man of superior mental power. His acquaintance with books was not

commensurate with his intellect; yet he seemed to possess a knowledge of all the important facts of history, ancient and modern. He had a remarkable perception of men, and seldom had occasion to change his first impression of a man's character. He said he could read in ten minutes, a man who talked much. Public men had a very high regard for his mental and moral power."

Tradition would warrant the belief that Dr. Cartwright was opposed to colleges and an educated ministry; but in this case, as it is often, tradition is misleading. He detested shams and pedants and readily detected them; he denied that intellectual insight was a valid guaranty of moral character, and held that high intellectual illumination and culture might co-exist with ethical night. Mere book knowledge was not highly esteemed, and woe unto him who paraded it in his presence as the essence of superiority. His heart and thought were not against the schools, but in full accord with the fundamental ideas underlying all efforts to found them and to perpetuate the knowledge of letters. An ignorant opponent of education could never have represented the Illinois Conference in thirteen quadrennial legislative assemblies of his church, or held the office of presiding elder for fifty consecutive years, or received in his honor the jubilee services of his entire conference, the distinctive honors awarded to no other person in history.

JAMES C. FINLEY, TRUSTEE, 1850-1855.

It is with pride that we can speak of Rev. James C. Finley, M. D., as a member of the first class of trustees of the university, and one of its most intelligent patrons. He was truly one of God's elect, and the election was justified by his nobility of character. Born of Presbyterian parents in New Jersey, 1802, he grew up in that stalwart faith and received a liberal classical education at Princeton college. After his

collegiate course he studied medicine under the celebrated Dr. Rush of Philadelphia. He practiced medicine in Cincinnati, Ohio, for a short time, and entered upon his professional career at Jacksonville, Illinois, but discontinued the practice in 1835 to enter upon the ministry of the gospel.

In answer to a deep conviction that he should preach, he joined the Mississippi Conference in 1837, having become a member of the Methodist church upon his arrival in Jacksonville in 1835. In 1841 he was transferred to the Illinois Conference and was elected to the presidency of McKendree college, over which he presided until 1845. Again in 1864 he was called to McKendree College as professor of Greek. One has written of him that his "whole organization was of the finest quality. Eyes, skin, hair, step, all proclaimed the intellectuality and sensitiveness of the man—a soul set to the most exquisite music of life."

In scholarship he was accurate, in philosophy thoroughly versed, and the Greek testament was his delight. The influence of his life is ennobling and refining.

EDWIN C. HYDE.

Edwin C. Hyde, one of the honorable citizens of Bloomington, served as a member of the board of trustees from 1868 to 1874. Mr. Hyde was one of the charter members of the University Charge, now Grace Methodist Episcopal church, and has been closely identified with the interests of the university. He is a native of New York, but in youth removed with his parents to Delaware, Ohio, where he received a fair English education at the Wesleyan University. He came to Bloomington, Illinois in 1854 and soon after this time commenced business as a merchant tailor. In the early days of the university, Mr. Hyde rendered valuable service and remains one of its warm friends. He is an earnest and enthusiastic Christian, and grows old gracefully.

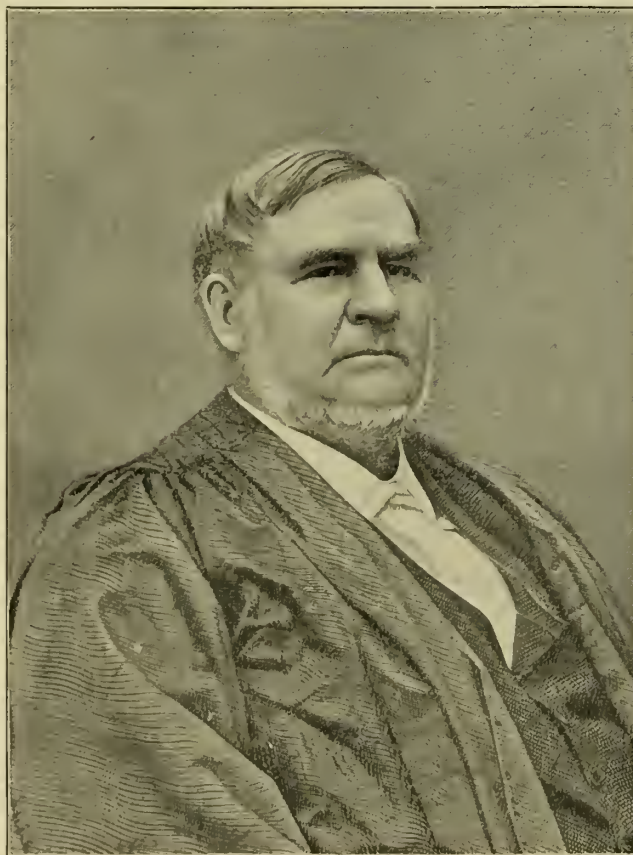


## DAVID DAVIS.

TRUSTEE AND PATRON

The history and character of Judge David Davis, M. A., LL. D., are too well known and too fully represented in encyclopædias and histories to justify extended mention in this work. He was born in Maryland in 1815 and died in Bloomington, Illinois, June 26, 1886. He was a representative product of American institutions, and as a man, citizen, lawyer and jurist is a good example to American youth. In youth he perceived the royal elements of human nature, felt his responsibilities in being, and allied himself more or less directly and publicly with those forces in society without which no individual can perfect himself. He recognized his relation to his Maker as that of a responsible servant and was a regular attendant at the services of the Presbyterian church, and lived a consistent life, not only in the more lowly, but also in the exalted positions to which he was called by the will of the people. He sought the college in order to secure that most eminent fitness, to live nobly, wisely and well. Kenyon College, Ohio, has the distinction of numbering David Davis among

its graduates, he having completed the course of study there in



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1832; his law course, however, was taken at Yale. He was admitted to the bar in Illinois in 1835, and practiced at Pekin for one year, when he moved to Bloomington and succeeded to the practice of Hon. Jesse W. Fell, with whom he was intimately associated for many years. His success in practice, which was marked from the first, was due more to the mastery of his subject, concentration of energy, and integrity of character than to his power of oratory. He served one term in the legislature of Illinois, having been elected in 1843; he was also a member of the convention which formed the constitution of the State in 1847, and served with eminent ability as circuit judge from 1848 to 1862, when he was appointed a justice of the Supreme Court of the United States by his life long friend, Abraham Lincoln.

To Mr. Davis belongs the honor and distinction of being the chief individual instrument in securing the nomination and election of Abraham Lincoln as president of the United States, a service itself deserving perpetual recognition. No doubt Lincoln fully appreciated this service; but it is equally clear that the appointment to wear the ermine was not because of



it, but rather on substantial merit. Lincoln knew Davis' character and judicial learning, though at that time his reputation as a lawyer and jurist was confined to his own State. Apropos to his fitness for the responsibilities and honor of the Supreme Court, the author of "Good Old Times in McLean County" quotes from the "American Law Times": "Judge Davis is a natural lawyer, a character so truly great that to doubt him would be impossible. His mind is all equity, and as vigorous as it is kind. He is progressive, and yet cautious; a people's judge, and yet a lawyer's." In 1872 Judge Davis received the nomination for president of the United States at the hands of the labor reform party. In reply to a letter informing him of such nomination he said: "Be pleased to thank the convention for the unexpected honor which they have conferred upon me. The chief magistracy of the republic should neither be sought nor declined by any American citizen." At the same time at the Cincinnati convention of Liberal Republicans his name was prominently urged and he received ninety-two and one-half votes. In 1877 he was chosen by the representatives of Illinois to succeed John A. Logan in the United States senate, and he resigned his position as justice and entered the senate. After the death of President Garfield, Mr. Davis was chosen president of the senate, which office he filled with dignity and acceptability.

Judge Davis was one of the early patrons of the Illinois Wesleyan and served as trustee. His counsel was always wise and his gifts liberal. The university was the first to honor itself by conferring the degree of Doctor of Laws, which also was conferred by Beloit College and Williams College.

## DEWITT C. BENJAMIN.

From 1856 to 1877, one of the frequent visitors at the Wesleyan and one always noted because of his scholarly bearings, was Rev. DeWitt

C. Benjamin, a brother of Judge Benjamin, ex-dean of the law school. He was born in Red Rock, New York, and came west and settled on a farm near Hudson, Illinois, where he died in 1876. He received his early education at the Academy of Kinderhook, New York, and at an early age became very proficient in Latin and Greek. At the age of sixteen he was converted and united with the Methodist Episcopal church, and was licensed to preach in 1841. His labors in the ministry continued a number of years after he moved west. His studious habits were kept up throughout his life, while his love for learning made him a most valuable patron and trustee of the university. He gave liberally of his means and unsparingly of his time and labor to its necessities.

One son, DeWitt C., and two daughters, Martha and Mary, were graduated from the Wesleyan, having taken its preparatory and college courses of study. He was a careful, painstaking scholar, and a Christian gentleman whose services were highly valuable.

## THOMAS P. ROGERS.

Another prominent man in the commercial, social and political history of Bloomington and McLean county, and one of the first advocates and patrons of the university, was Thomas P. Rogers, M. D. His ancestry was from the north of Ireland, and the excellencies of the North Ireland stock were prominent characteristics of his life.

He is represented as having been a man of commanding presence, gentlemanly and scholarly, an active politician and a leader in the circles in which he moved. He served as trustee of the university from 1850 to 1855. Dr. Rogers was most highly esteemed by his generation and is well and favorably remembered by those who were associated with the university in its formative period. He was especially respected for his personal merits by the late venerable Hiram Buck, with whose views, politically and socially, he was in general sympathy.

## JOSEPH G. ENGLISH, TRUSTEE, 1852-1892.

Hon. Joseph G. English whose long and continued faithful service on the board of trustees of the Illinois Wesleyan University is a good example of what one may accomplish by industry and honesty. He was



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born in Indiana in 1820, of the old Mayflower stock, and began life with what he called two splendid advantages: good health and poverty. In youth, thrown upon his own resources, he formed habits of industry, was scrupulously honest, and developed a spirit of self-reliance which seldom fails to bring abundant rewards. His opportunities for an education were those furnished in the log school house in those pioneer days of Indiana life. Notwithstanding, he has secured, in spite of the lack of schools, extensive, accurate and useful knowledge. His business career began as a clerk for his board and clothing.

In 1843 he married Miss Mary Hicks, of Perrysville, and became associated with his father-in-law in the mercantile business at that place, where he remained until 1853, when he moved to Danville, Illinois, and engaged in the dry goods business in partnership with John L. Tinchner, a man of great business sagacity and public spirit. In 1856, these gentlemen engaged in private

banking and met with signal success, and in 1863 they organized the First National bank of Danville, with Mr. English its first president, who has served in that capacity until this day. Through his integrity, sagacity and untiring energy he has made the institution one of the most important banking corporations in the State of Illinois.

While he has attended rigorously to business, eschewing politics, though often importuned to accept nominations for offices of honor and trust, he has been public spirited, and has given great energy to enterprises which have contributed to the growth and worth of Danville. He was chiefly instrumental in securing for his city the Big Four and Chicago & Eastern Illinois railways. He has been a director of the latter road for eighteen consecutive years. He organized the Danville & Grape Creek railway, which is now a branch of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois. Upon the failure of the Grape Creek Coal and Coke company, he was appointed receiver by the district court, and is still acting in that capacity.

He was not only one of the charter members of the Kimber Methodist Episcopal church, but its chief supporter. In 1872 he was elected lay delegate to the General Conference, and again in 1884, where he exhibited that accurate knowledge and sound judgment which constitute the wisest church legislator. He has long been treasurer of the Preachers' Aid Society of the Illinois Conference, and he has been one of the warmest friends, wisest counselors, and largest contributors to the success of the Illinois Wesleyan University, whose trustee he has been for so many years. In all he undertakes, Mr. English has the faculty of adapting means to ends, and brings things to pass. He is a genial companion, courteous in his treatment of his fellow men and ever willing to extend aid to the deserving. It is no disparagement to the splendid abilities of Mr. English to say that his most excellent wife contributed largely to the nobility of his character and to his success in business.

## ABRAHAM MANN.

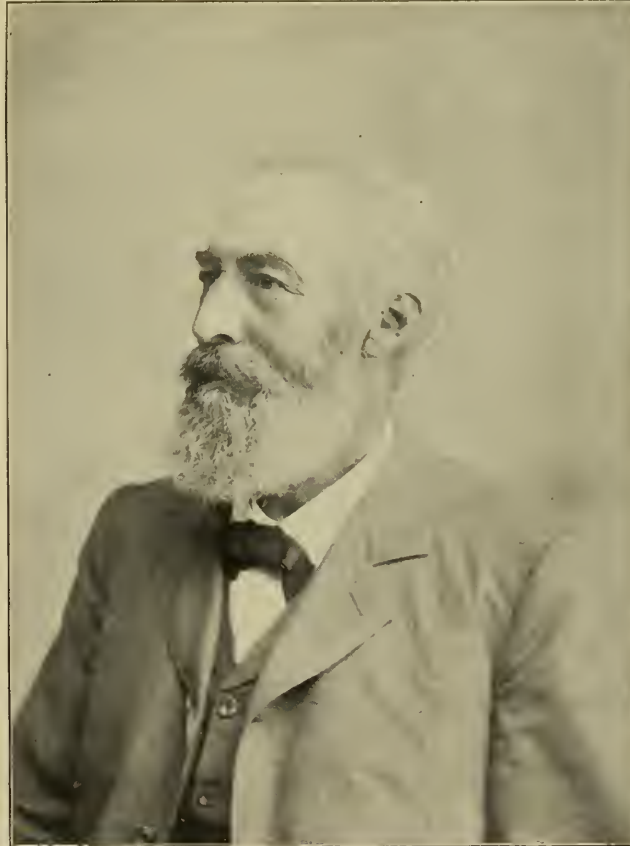
TRUSTEE AND ONE OF THE CHIEF FOUNDERS.

Abraham Mann was born in 1829 in Leighton Buzzard, Redfordshire, England, and came to the United States with his parents in 1834 and settled on a farm near Rossville, Illinois, in the spring of 1835, having tarried for a short time in Herkimer, New York.

He attended school one year at Crawfordsville, Indiana, but at the age of twelve was sent to England and educated in a private school at Ruggleswade. In 1851, he returned to America and settled upon "Speedwell Farm," where he has since resided. Being a large land holder, he has been extensively engaged in stock raising, his herds being the best to be found anywhere in the West.

Mr. Mann is a typical English American, well read in the history of his adopted and also of his native country, and thoroughly posted in current literature, especially that which pertains to political, economic and social science. Since the days of his young manhood, he has been a prominent factor in the affairs of Vermillion county, and identified with the interests of the Methodist Episcopal church at home

and abroad. For many years he has been a member of the



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board of trustees of the university, and a member of its standing committee on finance. During all these years he has ungrudgingly given money, time, and his wisest counsel in the interest of the institution. But a few years ago he gave the university a well improved farm of eighty acres, situated near Rossville. In 1882 he was married to Margaret Ann Dale, who has been a help-meet indeed, entering heartily into his plans of public beneficence. Mr. Mann is considered one of the most useful and valuable members of the board of trustees.

REV. PRESTON WOOD, SR., AGENT AND  
TRUSTEE.

Rev. Preston Wood, an exceedingly valuable member of the board of trustees and one of its shrewdest financiers as well as wisest counselors, was born in Pickering, Yorkshire, England, in 1825. He entered the British Wesleyan Conference in 1846, in which he served until 1851, when he came to the United States of America, his parents having preceded him. In 1852 he joined the Illinois Conference, and Hillsboro, Waverly, LeRoy, Decatur and Atlanta were served by him before 1861, at which time he became chaplain

of the 38th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, which position he resigned in October, 1862, on account of injuries received at Fredricktown, Missouri. Re-entering the ministry, he served most efficiently the charges at Clinton, Lincoln, and Carlinville. In 1869 he was appointed presiding elder of the Danville district, and served a full term. From 1873-76 he was presiding elder of the Bloomington district. In 1877-78 he was agent of the Illinois Wesleyan University, when he was again appointed presiding elder, in which office he served a full term on the Griggsville district; and in 1884-89 a full term on the Springfield district.

Mr. Wood was not only a prudent and efficient financial agent of the university, but served also as financial agent for the Preachers' Aid Society, and has from its organization been one of its chief promoters. He was elected to the General Conference in 1872, and was appointed to the Ecumenical Conference at Washington, in 1891.

As a minister, he is scriptural, clear, and forcible, and at times most powerful. As a presiding elder, but few have ever filled that office in his conference who have surpassed him in administrative abil-

ity, in sagacity and fidelity. His long experience upon the board of trustees has given him a knowledge of the business



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interests of the university not shared by many, and no one uses that knowledge more wisely in the promotion of its inter-

ests as a member of the finance committee.

In 1853 he was married to Jane Christian, of Hillsboro. Of this union there are six children; Captain William Thomas, U. S. A.; Mary W., wife of W. S. Phillips of the Illinois Conference; Mrs. Anne W. Galford, of Elkhart, Illinois; Catherine, a teacher at Jacksonville, Illinois; Preston, Jr., member of the Illinois Conference of the class of 1891; and Albert L., member of the class of 1896, editor-in-chief of the Wesleyan Argus, and orator representing the university in the State contest in 1895.

JERVIS G. EVANS, TRUSTEE AND AGENT.

Rev. Jervis G. Evans, D. D., LL. D., President of Hedding College, Illinois, was educated in the Peoria Wesleyan Seminary, Judson College and the Ohio Wesleyan University. He joined the Rock River Conference in 1824. He spent twenty-three years in the pastorate, four years as presiding elder, one year as agent of the Illinois Wesleyan University, one year as agent of the Grand Prairie Seminary, served thirteen years as president of Hedding College; served thirteen years as secretary of his conference, the Central Illinois, and has represented it in the General Conference of 1876, 1884, 1892;



was also delegate to the Centennial Conference at Baltimore in 1884. He has published the *Christian Citizen*; the *Uses of Tobacco*; *Lotteries*; *The License System*; *Examination of the Liquor Traffic*, and *An Open Letter to Dr. Dorchester* and various other lectures.

Dr. Evans has rendered valuable service to the university as trustee, agent and conference visitor.

JAMES LEATON, TRUSTEE AND PATRON.

Many men, intellectual and highly cultured, have contributed to the university, but few if any have brought greater natural gifts more systematically developed than did Rev. James Leaton, D. D. He was born in Lincolnshire, England, May 17, 1817. "His father, who came to America in 1832, was a gentleman farmer of considerable estate. He was a gentleman, not only of fortune in his native country, but of classical culture and social influence. The qualities of intellectual acuteness, courage, sternness and energy were marked in his character. The mother was a woman of excellent mind, but her superiority consisted more in those noble qualities of heart that made her a benediction wherever she went. She was of gentle nature, decidedly pious and profoundly interested in the spiritual welfare of her family. These, to some degree diverging parental qualities, had a peculiar blending in the son, and on the side of nature prepared him for those intellectual and spiritual attainments and achievements that made him prominent in the church of which he became a member."

James was intended for the ministry in the Church of England, and with that end in view was educated in Crowland Abbey. While he gave a long life in perfect consecration to the ministry, he refused to answer the call of his parents to enter upon the functions of the holy calling and became critical and skeptical. He was too honest to enter upon a course of life to which he did not give his whole heart, hence,

thoroughly educated and with highly disciplined mental powers, he began to teach. While teaching near Springfield, Illinois, he was led to attend the ministry of Rev. Dr. Peter Akers, of blessed memory. Under the power of this prince of Biblical scholars and pulpit orators, he perceived the truth, bowed in submission to it, and felt that the call of his parents to preach the Word was now the call of God. Accordingly he was admitted to the Illinois Conference in 1843. His broad, liberal education in the English, Latin, Greek and Hebrew languages, extended knowledge, for that day, of the natural sciences, scholarly instincts and habits, and his thorough consecration to duty, gave him a power of no mean degree in the pulpit and made him one of the leaders of his generation. Three times he was chosen to represent the church in the General Conference: once in 1856 by the Southern Illinois Conference, of which he was a member by transfer for a short time, and twice by the Illinois Conference, in 1868 and 1876.

He was also honored by an appointment as delegate to the Centennial Conference of 1884, and though in advancing years he honored the conference by his representation. He was also appointed in 1890 as a member of the Ecumenical Conference of 1891, but before it convened he was transferred to the church triumphant.

He was very methodical in whatever he did, and was correspondingly exact. His pulpit efforts were always of a high order both in conception and form, and were biblical, and expository, though highly enriched by illustrations from the treasures of science, art, and philosophy. In 1887 he was appointed conference historian. He was untiring in his search for historic data, and gathered material of greatest interest, manifesting some of the characteristics of a genius for his work. He published one volume, the "History of Methodism of Illinois," and prepared the manuscript for two other volumes bringing the history down to 1852, which have not yet been published. He was a model secretary,

which office he filled for many years, and his services as editor of the Conference Minutes were no less excellent. He was an ardent advocate of the highest education, and cast his full influence in the support of the Illinois Wesleyan, with which he was officially connected as trustee at the time of its organization and afterwards also as an official visitor. McKendree College, for which he was at one time financial agent, recognizing his ability and scholarly attainments, conferred upon him the degree of M. A., *pro merito*, and the Wesleyan conferred upon him the divinity doctorate.

JESSE MEHARRY, TRUSTEE AND PATRON.

Jesse Meharry, one of the younger members of the board of trustees, is a prosperous farmer and stock raiser of Tolono, Illinois. He is a native of Indiana, a son of Thomas Meharry and a nephew of Hugh Meharry, Sr., and a special friend of the education of the freedman.

Mr. Meharry attended the public schools of his native State, and attended the old Asbury University, but did not complete the course of study, having left the institution when perhaps a junior. He is as quiet and unobtrusive in manner as General Grant was reputed to have been, and is blessed in a marked degree with common sense. But few laymen in the Illinois Conference are better versed in Methodist history and doctrine, or are more broadly read in the general literature of the day, and none are more devoted to the cause of Christian education. He is a most generous supporter of all the enterprises of the church, and a warm friend of the youth who honestly strive to better their condition in life and develop godly character. He is a sympathetic, prudent and wise counselor, and is most highly valued for services rendered the university during its present administration. He is noted for his hospitality, and in his elegant home we often find rest and new inspiration for the vexing problems ever arising. One cannot grow faint-hearted there.

DAVID T. DOUGLAS, TRUSTEE AND PATRON.

David T. Douglas, M. D., trustee of the Illinois Wesleyan University, was born at Morristown, New Jersey, 1842. He attended the common schools at Morristown and Monroe until sixteen years of age, when he entered the Roman Catholic parochial school and studied for one year. Afterwards he spent three years at St. Peter's Episcopal school. At the age of twenty-one he began reading law in the office of William B. Guild, Newark, New Jersey, and was admitted to the bar of New Jersey in 1864. In June, 1864, he enlisted in Company B, 57th New Jersey Volunteers, and was elected second lieutenant. Having come to Illinois in 1866, he began the study of medicine with Dr. E. Dooley of Selma, Illinois, and soon after entered Rush Medical College, Chicago, Illinois, graduating from that institution in 1871. He began the practice of medicine at Selma, and a few years afterwards moved to Colfax, where he built up a large and lucrative practice, and has accumulated a competency of this world's goods.

He has been a very devoted, conscientious and enthusiastic Christian and member of the Methodist church since 1866. In 1879 he was elected trustee by the Central Illinois Conference, and has rendered a continuous service until this day.

Dr. Douglas is a man of keen perception, strong conviction, generous nature, and is identified with most of the public enterprises of his community, and is thoroughly loyal to the great enterprises of his church.

CHARLES O. McCULLOCH, TRUSTEE.

Rev. Charles O. McCulloch, B. A., M. A., is serving his second term as trustee of the university, elected by the Central Illinois Conference. Mr. McCulloch is a graduate of Hedding College, and has been a leader in his conference since 1888, when he led his delegation in the General Conference of that year. He was also honored with a re-election in

1892. He has now the distinction of serving nine consecutive years in the presiding eldership. He is scholarly, gentlemanly, deeply spiritual, and possesses that most desirable quality of common sense in a large degree. His varied experience and intimate knowledge of the university render him a most valuable patron of the institution.

JOSEPH B. AYRES, TRUSTEE AND PATRON.

Joseph B. Ayres was born in the city of Bloomington in 1831, reared upon a farm, and has accumulated a handsome property which



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he uses as a gift of God without abusing. He is as stalwart in character as he is in form, and is widely known as a patron of higher education and a devoted friend of the Illinois Wesleyan University. His children have all been educated in the university of which he is a trustee, three of them having completed its course of study. He brings to the office of trustee integrity of character, extended business experience, and ready perception of the real condition and needs of the university. Mr. Ayres has been re-elected to the office of trustee

and has rendered constant service since 1883. He is now mentioned by the Republican party as a probable candidate for State senator.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN FUNK.

TRUSTEE AND PATRON

Benjamin Franklin Funk, son of Isaac Funk, was born at Funk's Grove, Illinois, in 1834. He attended the Illinois Wesleyan University for a number of years, and completed the work of the sophomore year. In 1862 he enlisted in Company G, 68th Illinois Volunteers. He has served three terms as mayor of the city of Bloomington, 1871, 1875 and 1884, and it is said justly that no man has given Bloomington a better administration of affairs than obtained under Mr. Funk's mayoralty. He was trustee of the Illinois Asylum for the Blind from 1883 to 1893; and in 1892 he was elected congressman for the Thirteenth district, but was defeated for renomination by internal factions.

Mr. Funk possesses many of those qualities of head and heart which made his ancestor, Hon. Isaac Funk a prominent character of his day. His life has been devoted to the farm, and he has been most successful as a stock raiser. His name has been associated with most of the public enterprises of Bloomington and McLean county for many years, and he has from his young manhood been a loyal patron of the Illinois Wesleyan University. In 1874, he was elected a trustee, and in 1876 he became president of the board of trustees which office he filled most acceptably until his election to congress.

As a presiding officer, Mr. Funk is dignified, alert, discriminating and impartial. He has a stalwart form, and is said to resemble his illustrious father in appearance and manner. He has resided in Bloomington for many years in a beautiful residence on North Main Street. He has been a member of Grace church perhaps since it was known as the University Charge and is its most liberal supporter. When in many perilous as well as embarrassing places, he has been among the first to lend to the university the needed assistance.



BENJAMIN FRANKLIN FUNK.



WESLEY B. HARVEY.  
TRUSTEE FROM 1877.

Wesley B. Harvey, one of the earliest settlers of Tazewell county, Illinois, was born in Licking county, Ohio, near Newark, December 15, 1824. His father, James Harvey, was a native of Maryland, who in early life moved to Virginia, and from there to Ohio. He and a brother rendered valiant service to their country in the war of 1812, and he was also a soldier in the Black Hawk war. In 1828 he settled in Tazewell county, being one of the first seven families that located in what is now Washington township. Though the lands at that time were not subject to entry, he cultivated two hundred and forty acres within a mile and a half of the present site of Washington, trusting to the local customs of the country to protect him in his right. He resided upon that tract until 1834, when he removed to Deer Creek township, where he spent twenty years. He died at Groveland in 1859, having spent three years in Peoria.

Like most of the early settlers, his means were limited, and none but those who have passed through the ordeal can realize the hardships endured. Coffee and

tea were luxuries used only on rare occasions. All clothing for summer and winter were made by hand.

The covering for the head was manufactured from the skin of raccoons, while the shoes were made from the skin of deer and cattle, tanned in neighboring tanneries. The people lived in log cabins and were quick to supply by ingenious devices all actually necessary articles for the comfort of the home. The furniture was largely home-made. Carts, wagons, and even the farm implements were the product of the unskilled mechanic.

The paternal grandfather of Wesley B. was born on a sailing vessel on the Atlantic ocean, while his parents were enroute to this country from Scotland. Wesley B. is the second of a family of eleven children, three sons and eight daughters, all of whom but one lived to mature years. His boyhood was spent on the frontier farm, and he received only such limited schooling as fell to the child of that day. At the age of twenty-one, as he expresses it, empty-handed and unaided he began the work of his life. For some years he engaged in farming with more than ordinary success, but was compelled to retire from the farm on account of poor health, and has since been engaged in real estate.

A Republican in politics, he has been



WESLEY B. HARVEY.

to some extent connected with public offices of the city and county, by whose suffrages he has occupied several positions of honor and trust. For ten years he served as supervisor of his town. For twenty years he held the office of the justice of the peace, and for two terms was mayor of the city of Washington. In 1850 he was elected to represent his district in the State Legislature, serving on several important committees.

In December, 1849, Mr. Harvey was married to Miss Eliza Barrett, who was born in Illinois and died at Washington in 1891, leaving no children. The second marriage of this subject occurred in July, 1892, and united him with Mrs. N. F. Shepard, a native of New Jersey, who came to this State in childhood.

Out of conditions considered adverse by most young men, Mr. Harvey developed a strong, self-reliant character; industrious and economical in habits; keen and far seeing in business; conscientiously exact and righteous in his dealings with his fellow men; and has accumulated what most of us would regard a fortune in worldly possessions. His services as a member of the board of trustees of the university have been, and are, highly valuable. He has frequently contributed money as well as time and energy to its advancement, the largest gift being \$15,000 in 1891. He is a pure minded, public spirited man of unimpeachable character, a benefactor to his race.

#### THOMAS DONEY.

Rev. Thomas Doney, M. A., D. D., is not a member of the board of trustees, and yet has rendered such long and efficient service as visitor from the Central Illinois Conference as to make it eminently proper to bear testimony here to that service. He has for several years been a member of the standing committee on faculty, has also conscientiously performed his duty as visitor, and for the past six years no one has exercised a better influence in the board of trustees and before the

entire body of students by his visitations than has Mr. Doney. The winter of 1895, at the request of the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A. Associations he held a series of meetings in the university hall in which he proved himself to be a splendid preacher and a teacher well adapted to guide young people in spiritual things.

He led his delegation in the General Conference in 1892, and is a real leader among his people. He is an Englishman by birth and spent some months of the present year in his native country.

#### HYRE D. CLARK, TRUSTEE AND PRINCIPAL PREPARATORY DEPARTMENT.

Rev. Hyre D. Clark, M. A., D. D., the vigorous and successful presiding elder of the Galesburg district, is a graduate of Allegheny College. Soon after his graduation he was elected principal of the preparatory school in the summer of 1883, which position he held for one year. In 1884 he joined the Central Illinois Conference, and has served nearly all its best charges. He will lead the delegation of the Central Illinois Conference in the next General Conference at Cleveland, having been elected on the first ballot by an unusually large vote.

As a scholar, Mr. Clark is both thorough and accurate, and as a preacher he is scholarly, versatile, clear and vigorous in thought, and at times manifests great oratorical power. During most of the time since 1884 he has been a member of the joint board of trustees and visitors, and is now serving his second term as trustee. Since the appointment of the standing committee on faculty four years ago, Mr. Clark has been a member of that committee. He is careful and conscientious in all his work as a member of the board, and brings to the university a sound mind and a loyal heart. As principal of the preparatory school he displayed accurate scholarship and the characteristics of a teacher. It would have been the pleasure of the university to have retained him at the head of this most important department.



PETER WHITMER.

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TRUSTEE FROM 1878.

Peter Whitmer, president of the People's bank, Bloomington, Illinois, and trustee of the Illinois Wesleyan University, was born on a farm in Franklin county, Pennsylvania, in 1828. He attended the district school until sixteen years old, when he began an apprenticeship of five years at saddlery and harness-making. For two years he traveled in the West, and then located at Bloomington, Illinois, in 1855, having entered business with M. L. Moore, and later with Park & Hoops; soon after however, Mr. Whitmer engaged in the lumber business, in which he was most successful, for seventeen years. In 1885 he was elected president of the People's bank, which office he still holds. He was also president of the Chair Factory from 1873 to 1885.

Mr. Whitmer is justly looked upon as a man of strictest integrity and of keen and far reaching insight in business. He has been prominently connected with the public affairs of this city for many years, and is one of the most valuable members of the board of trustees. Whether in business or in society, he is always suave, courteous and gentlemanly. He is one of the most consistent members of the Christian church. He has rendered continuous service on the board since his first election, 1878.

JAMES T. ORR, PATRON.

Rev. James T. Orr, while not trustee of the university, has been a member of the joint board as visitor from the Illinois Conference for many years. He has known the institution since its organization and made a contribution to its endowment the first year of his ministry which was a large per cent of his entire earnings for the year. Thoroughly acquainted with its business, he is one of its most efficient supporters. For several years he has been a member of the Faculty committee.

JOSEPH S. CUMMING, TRUSTEE AND PATRON.

Joseph S. Cumming, A. M., D. D., was born in Abingdon, Virginia, April 28, 1832. His father, then a member of Holston Conference, came to Illinois in 1834, and was a member of the Central Illinois Conference when he died, in 1889.

Joseph S. was educated at Rock River Seminary, Mt. Morris, Illinois, at that time the only school for young men in the Methodist church north of McKendree College, Lebanon, Illinois. He taught school most of the time during four years, and kept up with his classes at the same time.

In 1852, when a little more than twenty years old, he was married to Miss Margaret Reed Maris, of Washington, Illinois, and in 1853 he joined the Rock River Conference. In 1868 Quincy College gave him the degree of Master of Arts, and in 1883 Iowa Wesleyan University conferred upon him the degree of Doctor of Divinity. He

was assistant secretary of the Central Illinois Conference ten years, and secretary five years. He was a member of three General Conferences, 1868, 1872 and 1884.

Of the forty-one years of his ministry he spent twenty-three in the regular pastorate, serving nearly all the best churches in his conference, fourteen years on the district as presiding elder, and four years as



JOSEPH S. CUMMING.



president of Hedding College, Abingdon, Illinois. He is now the de-serving and popular pastor of the church at Moline, Illinois.

His patriotism is pronounced; his ideals in State pure and lofty. He affiliated with the Republican party in politics until 1834, when he became a party Prohibitionist, being convinced that purer motives and higher ends should control in national politics.

As a preacher he is clear, practical and thoroughly evangelistic; as a pastor, methodical, systematic and untiring in his zeal for the welfare of his flock. In business, he is prompt, accurate and wise. It will be seen from this record that he has been officially connected with the Illinois Wesleyan University as visitor or trustee during the greater part of the time of his ministry, giving it untiring energy and a loyal heart.

His home has been a model minister's home, from which the wife of his youth was taken in 1893, but which is still blessed by the presence of a daughter. Two daughters reside in Monmouth, one other at Moline, and the only son, Frank H., of the class of 1876, is the pastor of the First Methodist church at Streator, Illinois.

JAMES P. DIMMITT, TRUSTEE AND FINANCIAL AGENT.

James P. Dimmitt, one of God's true noblemen, was born in Ohio in 1812. Having secured a fair English education, he was obedient to convictions of duty to preach, and was admitted to the Illinois Conference in 1842. As a minister he possessed a diversity of talents, passing with ease from the pastorate of a country circuit to the best charges in the city or from the circuit to a district, or from a district to the station, achieving success in whatever position he was placed, and at times, as at First Church, Decatur, Illinois, overcoming the almost impossible. He was deeply religious, broadly charitable, always affable and courteous, and at times rose to true eloquence in his pulpit efforts. He was a man of God who sought to add to the sum of human happiness.

DENNIS KENYON, TRUSTEE AND PATRON.

Dennis Kenyon, trustee, was born in Rhode Island in 1833, and came to Illinois in 1840 and settled in Mt. Hope township, McLean county, Illinois, where he has large landed interests. In childhood he attended the subscription schools, which afforded him all the educational advantages received. In 1852 he entered the mines of California, where for a year and a half he was engaged in search of gold. He was commissioned lieutenant in Company A, 117th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and served until 1864. He is gentlemanly and conscientious in his dealings with his fellow men, energetic, skillful and successful in business. Since 1886 he has been a trustee of the university and has given liberally to its support. His counsel is sought in all plans for the prosperity of the institution.



DENNIS KENYON.

Mr. Kenyon has filled many local offices of trust, and exerts a great influence in State and national assemblies in the interests of agriculture. While not liberally educated, he possesses a strong mind and is quick to perceive and ready to discriminate between the false and true. Though business calls him away from home, he never neglects home interests or forgets the little country

church to which he has been devoted as a consistent Christian for years.

Mrs. Kenyon is a well educated woman of culture and refined tastes fully in sympathy with her husband's interests in the university. It is a pleasure to visit their home and receive their royal hospitality.

GEORGE R. PALMER, TRUSTEE.

Rev. George R. Palmer, editor and publisher at Onarga, Illinois, is one of the strong and serviceable men elected trustee by the Central Illinois Conference, first in 1876, and remained in office until 1885, having served three full terms. He was again charged with the duties of trustee in 1890, and continues in office.

He is a man of commanding presence, six feet and more in height, stoutly built and in excellent health; his reading has been extensive and to a purpose, his perception is keen, his reasoning power is of a high order, and his speech is fluent and powerful. As a preacher he is fluent, instructive and efficient. His sermons show a thorough knowledge of history and literature. He is a ready and fearless debater, shrewd and witty, and in conversation he is most interesting. In politics he is an old type Republican, exerts a commanding influence in the councils of his party, and has been urged to stand for election to congress.

ZADOC HALL, TRUSTEE, 1863-78.

Rev. Zadoc Hall was born in Sussex county, Delaware, 1801, and, at the ripe old age of eighty-eight, years he was gathered unto his fathers on Easter day. His father died when Zadoc was but nine years old and his youth and young manhood was one of toil and struggle to earn a livelihood and get an education. His education was limited, though he was well versed in history and was familiar with the best ecclesiastical thought. Under the ministry of Thomas A. Morris, after-

wards one of the bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, he was awakened and quickened into a life of conscious communion with God, and from his early manhood it may be truly said that he "walked with God." Having entered the ministry, he came to Illinois from near Zanesville, Ohio, where in his childhood the family had settled, and in 1832 became a member of the old Illinois Conference. In the subdivision of the territory of the conference he fell to the Rock River and finally the Central, of which he was a member at his death. In 1834 he was appointed to the Blooming Grove (Bloomington) Circuit, and with the aid of such laymen as James Miller and John Moore, erected the first Methodist church in Bloomington.

In stature he was about five feet ten inches, and in 1870 stood perfectly erect. He was a man of refined tastes as well as of elevated moral sentiment, modest, exceedingly kind of heart, and greatly attached to the Wesleyan.

HENRY SUMMERS, TRUSTEE, 1855-61.

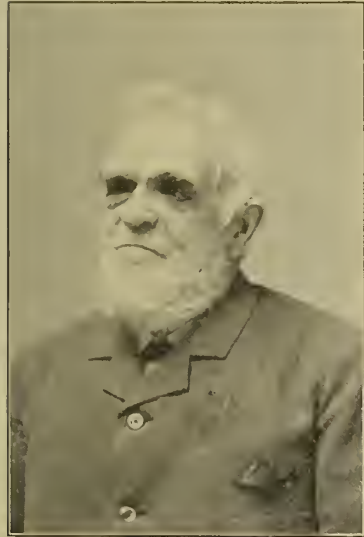
Of the many men whose truly heroic lives are woven into the institutions, civil and religious, of Illinois, and who contributed to the founding of the university, Rev. Henry Summers is not the least.

He was born of German parentage in West Virginia, in 1801, and at the age of twenty entered upon the ministry of the gospel. He was twice chosen to represent his conference in the General Conference, 1852 and 1856, and for thirty-one years served as presiding elder, performing the functions of his office with godly judgment, devotion, and skill. It was written of him at the time of his death in 1883: "Of courage, his life was a fountain; of pure, manly dignity, an unexplored deep; so imbued with simplicity and inspired by true modesty, that children were at home in his presence, and men of eminent name recognized in him a peer."

## JAMES HARRISON BUNN, TRUSTEE AND PATRON.

James Harrison Bunn, trustee from the Central Illinois conference, was born in Ross county, Ohio, in 1830. From childhood he has been an active, enthusiastic, and consistent member of the Methodist

Episcopal church. He has served in the various offices requiring ability, foresight, and religion of its laity, beginning as a class leader at the age of nineteen; was a most successful superintendent in Ohio, and also at La Salle, Illinois, before his residence in Peoria, which he begun in 1854. He has been a member of the official board of the First Church, Peoria, for thirty-nine years, and superintendent of the Sunday school for nine years. He is president of the American Bible Society for Peoria county, and is an able director of the Y. M. C. A. of his city. He represented the Central Illinois conference in the General Conference of 1892.



JONATHAN TOTTEN. SEE PAGE 45.

He is a liberal supporter of the enterprises of his local church, of its general benevolent and educational interests. He has for many years been an efficient and worthy trustee of the Illinois Wesleyan University, serving on some of its most important committees.

He is engaged in the grain business in Peoria, where he has acquired a competency which he uses liberally in doing good to his fellow men.

## GEORGE RUTLEDGE, TRUSTEE, 1864-70.

Among the foremost men who laid the foundations of the present civilization in Illinois was Rev. George Rutledge, who was born in Virginia, in 1811. Left fatherless at the age of thirteen and being the eldest child of the family, great responsibilities toward his mother and her fatherless children were met with unusual fidelity.

The advantages offered for an education were well improved and he gained a good English education. He was converted at the age of twenty and began preaching in the Baltimore Conference in 1833, but in 1835 was transferred to Illinois, where he was eminent in labors with Akers, Cartwright, Buck, Prentice, and others, of whom the world was not worthy. He was a man universally esteemed by all who knew him, and most by those who knew him best. He came nearly causing his inner life to conform absolutely to his outer expression and profession; hence he was proverbially kind and charitable, of even temperament, and of clever judgment.

He was jealously devoted to the educational polity of his church, believing that all truth is from God and that the youth of the church should be educated under the purest environment, if manhood is to be in harmony with the law of God. The Illinois Female College at Jacksonville never had a more zealous advocate or warmer friend, and unto him a great debt of gratitude is due from the present generation for truly heroic struggles in behalf of that institution. He was as true to the Wesleyan, and as trustee and visitor brought to it sound judgment and a fervent spirit. He had one son complete its course of study, Rev. Wm. N., of the class of 1868, who is an honored member of the Illinois conference. His character and services called for a special sermon before his conference, which was preached by Dr. Hiram Buck and was considered one of the greatest sermons ever delivered before that body.



GEORGE P. DAVIS.



GEORGE P. DAVIS,  
TRUSTEE AND PATRON

Hon. George P. Davis, M. A., is a native of Illinois, having been born in Bloomington, in 1842. He is an only son of the late David Davis, the well known jurist and statesman. At the early age of ten Mr. Davis was sent from his ancestral city to a private boarding school which was under the supervision of Deacon Hyde, at Lee, Massachusetts, but remained for two years only, when he returned to Bloomington and spent one year in the Illinois Wesleyan, whose preparatory school had been opened but a short time before. He was then placed in the preparatory department of Beloit College, Wisconsin, and having completed its course, entered Beloit College and pursued his studies until ready for the junior year, when he went to Williams College and was graduated in the class of 1864. After graduation he returned to Bloomington and began the study of law in the office of W. H. Hanna; but after two years of study and office work, he entered the law school of Michigan University and took its LL. B. degree in 1867. Having been admitted to the bar, he entered at once upon the practice of law with Mr. Hanna, but within two years abandoned the practice, finding that the care of his father's extensive business required all his time and energy.

In 1869 he was married to Miss Ella Hanna, of Attica, Indiana. Three children have blessed this union: Mrs. Dr. E. Wyllis Andrews, of Chicago, and two sons, David and Mercer. Mr. Davis resides in the elegant mansion erected by Judge Davis in the eastern part of the city of Bloomington. He is now serving his third term as trustee of the university, is a member of the finance and of the buildings and grounds committees. His long and varied experience with public buildings, his extended private business in addition to his natural qualifications admi-

rably fit him for the services of inestimable value which he renders the institution. The present administration has not had the support of a more liberal patron.

CHARLES AND HENRIETTA CRAMP, PATRONS.

Charles and Mrs. Henrietta Cramp, whose names have appeared in the publications of the University since 1884, were first interested in the institution by President Adams and Mrs. Olga Updegraff, who for a number of years rendered most excellent service as agent for the Woman's Educational Association, and later as superintendent of Henrietta Hall.

Mr. Cramp, the eldest of ten children, was born in Surrey, England, 1827. In 1832 his parents emigrated to Canada and from there to New York in 1834. Still obedient to the spirit of enterprise, they settled in southern Illinois, near Bunker Hill, in 1834, where Charles grew to manhood.

In his youth he was subjected to all the privations and perils of those pioneer days, and the education gained was from contact with men and a few standard books, without the guidance of a teacher, though it is said that all other members of his father's family were sent to the schools. One brother is an honored member of the southern Illinois conference. In 1841 he moved to Shipman, Illinois, and in 1865 to a farm near Macon, Illinois. He has been successful in all his business enterprises, and wherever he lived his influence has been most potent for the social, moral, and religious development of society. The year 1849 marks two most significant events in his life, his recognition of the claims of God upon his affection and service and his union in holy wedlock with Henrietta Hopson, with whom alone he has walked until this day.

Henrietta Maria Hopson was born in Saulsbury Center, Herkimer

county, 1815. She was given an excellent education which she put to the best uses. She was a precocious child and advanced phenomenally in her studies; at the age of fourteen and for several years afterward she taught school at the place of her birth. After coming to Illinois and her marriage to Mr. Cramp she taught and admitted colored children on the same terms given to white. She is a broad, liberal minded woman, and whether in the school room or on the farm making cheese with her own hands from one hundred and sixteen cows, gentleness, refinement, energy, and goodness have characterized her life.

In 1884 Mr. and Mrs. Cramp gave four thousand dollars toward the purchase of the Major's College property, and in grateful recognition of this benefaction the Woman's Educational Association declared that the hall should be known as the Henrietta Hall. They were watchful of the interests of the Association so long as it existed and were an inspiration to it in all its work. It was about this time also that President Adams interested them in an effort to increase the endowment of the university. His presentation of the merits of the cause led them to believe that they could not find a cause in aiding which they would do greater good, and perpetually, after their death. Hence they executed a warranty deed to four hundred acres of rich farm land situated near Macon, Illinois, in favor of the trustees of the university, to aid in endowing the Charles Cramp Professorship of Belles Lettres, the trustees agreeing to pay an annuity to the donors during their natural lives. Soon after this transfer of property our friends bought property in Bloomington, where they have since resided, and most all the time have kept one or more students in college. Some of them have graduated and are filling prominent stations in life with honor to their *alma mater*, but the greatest credit is due to these godly people who made an education possible to them. To live well and to inspire others and make it possible for them to do so is the greatest achievement.

WILLIAM N. DEVER, TRUSTEE AND PATRON.

William N. Dever, born in Marion county, Ohio, 1832, came to Illinois in childhood, and availed himself of the best advantages afforded at that early day for an education. By patient industry and economy he has acquired a competency of this world's goods. He has spent most of his life upon the farm, having spent six years as a hardware merchant. He is an earnest and devoted member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and regards the university as one of her great enterprises. He has served for many years upon the board of trustees. He married L. E. Marrs in 1858, but of this union there are no children. Two orphan children, however, have found in them friends next to parents, having been cared for as tenderly and carefully by the foster parents as if they were their own. Mr. Dever is very mod-



WILLIAM N. DEVER.

est and unassuming, but of positive convictions and of moral courage. He has large landed interests in Illinois and Nebraska, but has resided in Bloomington for several years and is a member of Grace church.

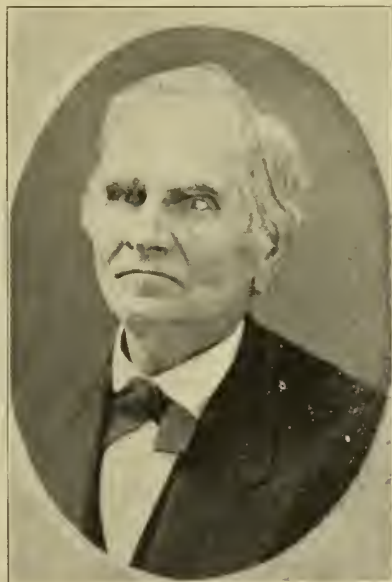
Mr. Dever was one of the largest individual contributors to the \$30,000 raised to meet the conditions of Buck's last gift of \$15,000.

## HUGH MEHARRY, PATRON.

The name Meharry is a Methodist household word, especially in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and among the colored people of America where the benefactions of one or more of several brothers of that name have strengthened the weak, succored the destitute, and established enterprises whose humane influences will extend to remote generations. Of these strong, godly men, none were more conspicuous for common sense, business sagacity and integrity, and loyalty to the benevolent and educational enterprises of the Methodist Episcopal Church than was Hugh, the eldest.

He was born at Connorsville, Pa., Feb. 12, 1797, but in childhood removed with his parents to Adams county, Ohio. In early youth he was left fatherless, his father having been killed by the falling of a tree, while returning home from a campmeeting. The mother, who was a woman of extraordinary strength of character, taught these boys the dignity and nobility of labor, and the prime virtues of industry, sobriety, honesty, and obedience to God.

In 1828, Hugh, guided by true business instinct, emigrated to Indiana and settled near Shawnee Mound, where by industry, economy, and



HUGH MEHARRY.

foresight manifested in buying cheap lands at an early day, he became wealthy. At a later day, but before capital was bold enough to invest in these low lands, he prospected in Illinois and invested largely in the prairies of Ford and Champaign counties. It was by such means that he was able to give so largely to the Church and at the same time give large farms to each of his several children. His greatest individual benefaction was to Central Tennessee College, Nashville, Tenn., for which he endowed a professorship. The next greatest gift was a farm of one hundred and sixty acres, located in McLean county, Illinois, which he deeded to the trustees of the Illinois Wesleyan University. His children, Mrs. Robert Blackstock, Frank and Charles Meharry, and Mrs. John A. Kumler, have also liberally patronized the university.

For several years before his death, the wife of his youth having passed on before, he made his home with his children in Illinois. At the advanced age of eighty-four years, while on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Kumler, at Bement, Illinois, he was gathered unto his fathers in December, 1881. He was a friend to all the churches and a consistent member of the Methodist Episcopal church for sixty-nine years.

## THE ANDERSON SCHOLARSHIP.

Some few years ago the trustees authorized the president to establish perpetual scholarships on the cash payment of a sum not less than one thousand dollars. Anyone contributing one thousand dollars for this purpose may designate the name of the scholarship for all time to come and also the beneficiary of the fund. We would call attention to this fact, as it affords an opportunity for persons of small means to perpetuate a beloved name and at the same time aid some worthy youth to get an education who otherwise would be unable even to enter college. While no special effort has been made to secure such gifts, a few persons have availed themselves of the offer. Among the first to do so was William

W. Anderson, of Taylorville, Illinois, a man whose memory will long be cherished by those who were fortunate enough to know him. He was one of God's noblemen who was sent to the prairies of Illinois at an early day to pre-empt them for the highest Christian civilization. In business, he succeeded as but few of his day and under his conditions. His power of great physical endurance, resolute will, calm judgment and deep moral conviction made him a conspicuous person in his community. He was one of the most enterprising men of Christian county, always on the right side of great questions, and a pillar in the Methodist Episcopal church.

For some years previous to his death he had practically retired from business, turning his large banking and farming business over to his son Fred, in whom he confided perfectly and who promises to be a worthy son of his father. May the mantle of William W. Anderson, the patron of the Wesleyan, fall upon him.



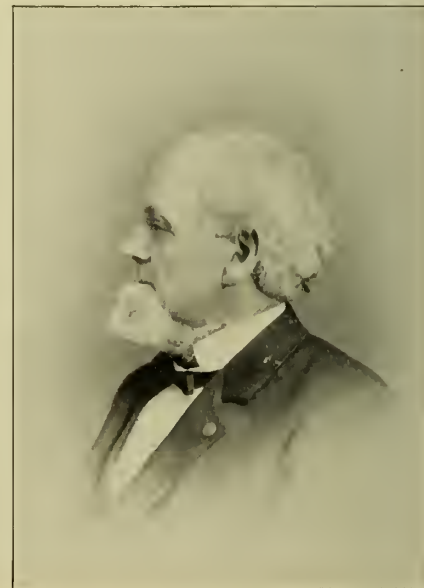
WILLIAM W. ANDERSON.

WILLIAM N. COLER, TRUSTEE AND PATRON.

The name of W. N. Coler will be always remembered in connection with Amie Chapel. At an hour when help was most needed, he gave \$5 000 toward finishing the chapel in the building erected in 1870, and in recognition of the gift the chapel was called Amie, after his mother.

JOHN REED, TRUSTEE AND TREASURER.

Of all the local officers of the university, Colonel John Reed, Treasurer since 1878, will be remembered by the largest number of students. He is a native of Ohio, having been born in Ross county in 1828. His early education was obtained in the common schools and at Salem Academy, Salem, Ohio. Having been brought up to agricultural pursuits, he followed farming until 1865, when he entered upon a successful mercantile career. In 1868 he moved to Bloomington, Illinois, and forming a partnership with Mr. Barger under the style of Reed & Barger, importers and jobbers in queensware, glassware, etc., did a most extensive and successful business until 1890, when Mr. Reed opened a real estate office and has until this time continued in that business. He has held many offices of trust, serving one term as mayor of Bloomington, giving



JOHN REED.

the city a clear, honest and able administration. He has been identified with many public enterprises of the city, and in whatever capacity he has served the public, energy and honesty have characterized his services. In politics he is a Republican and in religion a



Methodist, having been a member of Grace church since coming to Bloomington. He is an enthusiastic member of the G. A. R., having served as colonel of the First Regiment, Ross County, Ohio, Militia, and was called into national service July 13, 1863.

Colonel Reed has been tireless in his service for the university as treasurer since his first election in 1878. He annually renders a service worth ten times the small amount, \$300, which he receives as compensation. It is due him that the public should know that his services have been practically gratuitous since his first connection with the organization.

JOHN A. KUMLER, TRUSTEE AND PATRON.

No historical sketch of the university would be complete without mention of John A. Kumler, M. A. Born of German parents in Butler county, Ohio, April 20, 1838, he was given superior advantages for an education which were fully improved. If birth and environment are potent elements in the formation of character, John was twice blessed, for both were in his favor, being well born and surrounded by the purest influences. But after giving full credit to these elements, much more in this case is due to his constitutive power of self-determination. It is but just to say, however, that upon coming into full possession of self, he recognized the value of these preconditions and chose to determine his character in harmony with these initial tendencies. In youth, lofty ideals were formed, and with pure motives, goaded by an exalted ambition to conform outwardly and inwardly to these ideals, he recognized God's claim to his affection and the energies of his being, became a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and an honored disciple of Jesus Christ, whom he strives to emulate in word, deed and spirit.

He entered Otterbein University, where he pursued and completed the full classical course, with credit to himself, and his subsequent

career has honored the institution which conferred upon him the Baccalaureate and Master's degrees. After completing his collegiate course of study he entered the law school of Michigan University, and, completing its course, received its degree of LL. B. He at once entered upon the practice of law at Danville, Illinois, having formed a partnership with Marquis D. Hawes, who afterward, like Mr. Kumler, abandoned the practice of law for the ministry of the gospel and became somewhat noted for his abilities and services. It is said of Mr. Kumler that, as a lawyer, he prevented litigation in the courts rather than added to the courts' business and the costs to client and taxes to the State. He did not long practice civil law, however, but in obedience to the divine call, became an advocate of man's rights and equity under redemptive grace and entered upon the ministry of the gospel in the Illinois Conference in 1868. Here his legal knowledge and experience has been an element of strength to himself and of great value to the church, as his opinions upon legal points have been and are in great demand, and his advice when followed has proved its wisdom.

He has served many charges and has been invariably successful; but his service to Methodism in Bloomington in securing a church



JOHN A. KUMLER.

location and building for the University Charge, now Grace Church, and his Herculean task of freeing the Second Church, Springfield, from its crushing debt, is especially praiseworthy. I am told by a friend that he contributed two thousand dollars towards the liquidation of this debt. His six years of service as presiding elder also called into action his special acquisitions, and in this office none excelled him in conscientious and careful devotion to the interests committed to him. He will represent his conference in the General Conference in May, 1896.

Mr. Kumler was elected trustee of the university in 1879, and still serves it faithfully, ever alert to increase its power and efficiency. As son-in-law to Hugh Meharry, to whom he was also a trusted counselor in business, some credit is doubtless due him for the generous gift of Mr. Meharry.

In those days when the question with the infant school was "to be or not to be," many others contributed money and influence of whom mere mention only can be made. Notable among them were Jesse W. Fell, of Quaker stock, the accomplished and cultured gentleman, quick-witted lover of his fellow men, and advocate of education, who served as trustee from 1851 to 1856; his brother Kersey, the man who first thought of making Abraham Lincoln president, trustee from 1850 to

1855; Reuben Andrus, the large-hearted Christian scholar; William C. Goodtellow, trustee and teacher until 1855; Lewis Bunn, the youngest but three of a family of twenty-one children, the honest, jovial and genial blacksmith, trustee from 1850 to 1855; John VanCleve, of Southern Illinois fame, where his name is as ointment poured forth; William J. Rutlege, the generous and kind, a walking encyclopedia of Wesleyan poetry, trustee from 1850 to 1856. Hon. John Moore, the sturdy English wheelwright, charming conversationalist, honest treasurer of the Commonwealth of Illinois, trustee from 1851 to 1856; Clinton W. Sears, arduous in labors, hopeful under greatest discouragements, and conscientious and able as teacher or administrator from 1852 to 1856; John Luccock, invincible in logic, the champion of truth, trustee from 1855 to 1861; George W. Fairbank, eloquent and godly; Richard H. Holder, the naturalist who contributed so largely to the museum; Benjamin F. Harris, David McWilliams and George Funk, the great financiers; James D. Sconce, the shrewd and honest farmer of long foresight; Charles W. Holder, Vergil S. Lindsey, David Smith, Melvin C. Soule, Dwight L. Parker, John I. Riniker, C. S. Aldrich, I. P. McDowell, J. B. Sargeant, John C. Short, Jacob Fullinwider, Philip Gillett, F. M. Chaffee, C. P. Merriman Jerome R. Gorin and others equally deserving and honorable.

## SOME CHIEF PROFESSORS AND INSTRUCTORS.

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### A GENERAL STATEMENT.

No attempt is made to analyze the characters of many of the men who have been employed in the various departments of the university, some of whom remained with it but a very short time, and others are yet living and still making history. It is proper, however, to give a short sketch of a few of those who have occupied chief positions in this institution or elsewhere and have contributed largely to the educational forces of their day.

It would be a pleasure to speak of Rev. Reuben Andrus, M. A., D. D., who was a gifted and eminent minister of the gospel, whose name appears in connection with the department of mathematics in 1851-2, and who was afterwards chosen president of DePauw University; of William D. Godman, M. A., who succeeded him as instructor in mathematics and taught in the infant preparatory school until 1863; of William Goodfellow, M. A., an honored alumnus of McKendree College, the first instructor in science, 1851 to 1854, who also served as trustee and vice-president of the institution, an able, conscientious and efficient teacher; of T. J. Tomlin, M. A., who succeeded Prof. Goodfellow in the department of science upon his departure to Evanston to assist his father-in-law, Dr. Dempster, in preparing the way for the Garrett Biblical Institute; of J. W. Sherfey, who was tutor from 1852 to 1854; of Daniel Wilkins, M. A.; of Benjamin F. Snow, M. A., the gifted and keen linguist: all of whom performed an honorable part in laying the

foundation of this school of learning, the memory of whom will be cherished by those with whom they were associated until the latest day.

#### JOHN DEMPSTER, FIRST PRESIDENT.

Rev. John Dempster, D. D., distinguished as the father of the Theological School system of the Methodist Episcopal Church, was born in Florida, New York, in 1794. His father, James Dempster, was a Scotchman by birth, was educated at the University of Edinburgh, and having associated himself with the Wesleyan movement accepted an appointment from Mr. Wesley as missionary to America. John, while without the superior advantages of collegiate training, was no mean scholar in the Latin, Greek, and Hebrew languages, and was a man of extraordinary mental power, being a master of logic and in metaphysical distinctions and investigations. He entered the ministry in 1815 and received an appointment in the Genesee conference. He commanded the respect of the most highly cultured and intellectual classes; filled many of the most important appointments in New York city; discharged the functions of a presiding elder; and labored as a missionary to Buenos Ayres, South America, for six years. He is said to have been a man of some peculiarities of habits and extraordinary power of will; he was possessed with a roving disposition and felt called of God to labor toward the establishment of schools of learning for young ministers. To

this work after 1846 he devoted all of his energies, and in 1847 opened a biblical institute at Concord, N. H., for which he traveled extensively, collecting funds to sustain it, as well as performing the function of chief instructor. Convinced that the demands of the hour called for the establishment of other church schools and feeling that the New Hampshire Institute had gained the affections of the ministry, he resigned his position and accepted the Presidency of the Illinois Wesleyan University. He came West, but inasmuch as there were some indications of a desire to establish a school for ministers in the vicinity of Chicago, he gave his attention to that work and soon opened a school at Evanston, out of which has come the Garrett Biblical Institute. The founding of that institution settled the policy of the Church concerning the education of its ministry; a work largely accomplished by John Dempster.

CLINTON WM. SEARS, SECOND PRESIDENT.

Dr. Dempster sustained the official relation of president of the institution until 1854, when, upon his resignation, Clinton William Sears, M. A., who had taught the ancient languages in the university since 1852, was elected president. He was born in New York in 1820; received a classical education at the Wesleyan University, having been graduated in 1841, and afterwards studied in the Lane Theological Seminary, Cincinnati Ohio. He entered upon the ministry and served in the bounds of the Genesee and Ohio conferences until his election to the chair of ancient languages at the Wesleyan in 1854; he was also elected as professor of ancient languages in Ohio University, but remained at Bloomington. Upon retiring from the educational work he reentered the pastorate and filled pulpits at Springfield, Illinois, and Cincinnati, until he answered the call to defend his country, when in 1861 he became chaplain in the army. He is represented as having been a man of excellent spirit, an accurate scholar, a winning teacher.

GEORGE R. CROW, PROFESSOR OF LATIN.

George R. Crow, M. A., is a native of Ohio and was educated in the Ohio Wesleyan University, having completed its classical course in 1861. After graduation he engaged in teaching awhile and then moved to Illinois and settling near Elkhart, engaged in agricultural pursuits, at which he was eminently successful. In 1870, upon the recommendation of President Oliver S. Munsell, he was chosen professor of Latin, which chair he occupied until 1879; for nine years he labored with untiring zeal and great energy in the interests of the university, and contributed largely of his means toward the erection of the building that was completed during his connection with the institution. As a teacher he was easily approached, truly sympathetic and earnest. Since 1883 he has resided on the Pacific coast, where he went for the sake of his health, and he has been felt as a potent factor in developing the resources of Los Angeles.

CHARLES M. MOSS, PROFESSOR OF GREEK, 1879-91.

Charles M. Moss, B. A., M. A., Ph., D. Professor of Greek in the University of Illinois, prepared for college at Cazenovia Seminary, 1873; received the degree of B. A., Syracuse University, 1877; M. A., 1880; Ph. D., 1881. In 1878-79 he was adjunct-professor of classics, Victoria University, Cobourg, Ontario, Canada. In the fall of 1879 he was called to the chair of Greek in the Illinois Wesleyan University, where he remained until 1891. It was through Dr. Moss that the non-resident and post-graduate department of the university was largely advertised and built up after its organization by President Fallows. Dr. Moss was dean of the department up to the time he left the university for his present field of labor. He was an enthusiastic and inspiring leader of the weekly meeting of the Christian Associations of the university, and a frequent contributor to the periodical press.



## HARVEY C. DEMOTTE.

PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS, 1861-84.

During nearly all the history of the Illinois Wesleyan University, Harvey C. DeMotte, M. A., Ph. D., has been a prominent factor in its growth and prosperity. He was born in Greene county, Illinois, in 1838. His boyhood being spent upon the farm as a tiller of the soil, his early educational advantages were not of a superior character; but, naturally fond of books, he determined to secure the best education to be obtained by one in his condition. With a stout heart and fixed purpose, he entered school at Metamora, Illinois, in 1856, and soon afterwards found his way to Bloomington. He was graduated from the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1861; having shown special aptitude as a tutor and remarkable ability as a student in mathematics, he was elected professor of mathematics on the day preceding his graduation. While in college he was chiefly instrumental in the organization of the Belles Lettres literary society, and has always been its friend and helper. In 1862 he enlisted in the army in the defense of the Union and served as first lieutenant in the 69th Illinois Volunteers.

Upon his return from the service he resumed his duties as pro-



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fessor of mathematics at the university, which he performed so ably and conscientiously, as is known by most of the students who have received instruction in its halls. In 1884 he resigned the professorship to accept the presidency of Chaddock College, Quincy, Illinois. This position he held until 1887, when he was elected superintendent of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home, Normal, Illinois. While Dr. DeMotte was admirably fitted for the chair of mathematics, it seemed that the superintendency of this great institution, a home for the Union soldiers' orphans, afforded him his natural element. His superintendency was most economical, most wise and popular. In the performance of his duties he was most ably seconded by Mrs. DeMotte, who was equally well adapted to the position she occupied as matron of the Home. Their kindness of heart, suavity of manner and comprehensive knowledge of child nature enabled them to make a record in the home that will be hard to surpass. Dr. DeMotte has always been a careful, industrious student. In 1877 the degree of Ph. D. *in absentia* was conferred upon him on examination by Syracuse University, and in 1883 Baker University honored him with the degree of

LL. D. He was a member of the General Conference of 1882 and has often represented his own church in the lay electoral conferences. As a scholar he was master in his own department; as a teacher he was clear, inspiring and sympathetic; as a man he was universally respected and truly loved by most of the students who received instruction at his hand. Many a timid, almost discouraged youth has been made free and courageous by his kindness and appropriate word of encouragement, and none ever appealed to him for help and sympathy and were repulsed.

Mrs. DeMotte, a most accomplished woman, served as principal of the model school from 1863 to 1867. She also rendered most valuable service to the institution as a member of the Woman's Educational Association, and like her husband, has ever been loyal to the interests of the University. Their only daughter Clara is now a member of the junior class.

#### JOHN M. HAMILTON.

Ex-Governor John M. Hamilton, B. A., M. A., a descendant of the old Scotch family of Hamiltons which settled in Maryland and Virginia at an early day, was born in Ohio in 1847. At the age of sixteen he enlisted as a volunteer and served one year in the Union army, when he returned home, prepared for and entered college. He completed the course at the Ohio Wesleyan University in 1868, ranking third in a class of forty-six. He immediately began the study of law, but was compelled to earn his living at the same time. In 1868 he was principal of the academy at Henry, Illinois, and in the fall of 1869 was elected as tutor in Latin at the Illinois Wesleyan.

While Mr. Hamilton was a young man of scholarly habits and tastes, law was his chosen profession, upon which he entered in Bloomington. He served four years in the State Senate; he was also elected lieutenant-governor, and succeeded to the highest office of the State.

#### JOHN WESLEY POWELL,

PROFESSOR, 1865-68.

Among the men who have honored the university by their connection with it, and whom the university delights to honor, is John Wesley Powell, M. A., Ph. D., LL. D. He was born, as his name would indicate, of Methodist parents, in Mt. Morris, New York, in 1834. He is the son of a Methodist clergyman. The lot of his youth was that common to the children of the clergymen of that denomination, and he had no abiding place, but had excellent opportunities for observation in Ohio, Wisconsin and Illinois. He studied in Illinois, Wheaton, and Oberlin Colleges, but received his first degree from the Illinois Wesleyan, and was afterwards honored by the degree of Ph. D. from the University of Heidelberg, and at the same time, 1886, with that of LL. D. from Harvard College. He enlisted as a private in the 20th Illinois Volunteers, and rose to the position of lieutenant-colonel of the 2nd Illinois Artillery. He served from the beginning to the close of the war, though he lost his right arm in the bloody battle of Shiloh. At an early age he developed strong inclinations toward natural science and became somewhat of an enthusiast in geology and natural history, spending much time in making collections. Several of the institutions of Illinois are richer to-day because of this inclination and interest in higher education, and especially the Wesleyan. In 1865 he was chosen professor of geology at the Illinois Wesleyan University, where he devoted all his energies toward building up the science department of the school, and imparted the true scientific spirit to a large body of men. He remained in this position until 1868, when he resigned in order that he might continue his scientific studies and exploration of the Rocky Mountain region. During the summer of 1867 he organized a body consisting largely of his own students, among whom were the Hon. L. H. Kerrick, president of the



JOHN WESLEY POWELL.

executive committee of the board of trustees, Rev. H. C. Hartzell and Dr. J. B. Taylor, for the purpose of making a geographical study of Colorado. While on this expedition he formed the idea of exploring the Canon of the Colorado, and was the first white man to behold the wonders and beauties of that region. He was soon employed by the Smithsonian Institute, under whose auspices he conducted other expeditions, and still later under the government more directly.

His contributions to our knowledge of the Rocky Mountain region are well known and invaluable. His scientific addresses, papers and publications which include his careful reports of various surveys and ethnological investigations have attracted wide attention and are of highest authority. Among the volumes that bear his own name are "Explorations of the Colorado River of the West and its Tributaries Explored in 1872" (Washington, 1875); "Report on the Geology of the Eastern Portion of the Uinta Mountains, and a Region of Country Adjacent Thereto" (1879); "Introduction to the Study of Indian Languages, with Words, Phrases and Sentences to be Collected" (1880); and "The Canons of the Colorado," 1895, beautifully illustrated.

In 1880 he was made member of the National Academy of Science; was president of the Anthropological Society of Washington from 1879 to 1888; a fellow of the American Association for the advancement of science; its vice-president in 1879 and its president in 1887. The students who accompanied him in his first expedition congratulate themselves upon their happy experience with Major John W. Powell one of the largest American contributors to scientific knowledge of our own country, and the university on the fact that its first scientific impulse was originally given and often quickened and guided by so distinguished an explorer, scholar, teacher and gentleman, while his direct and indirect contributions to the natural history collections of the university will never be forgotten.

S. S. HAMILL, PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH AND ELOCUTION.

Professor S. S. Hamill, B. A., M. A., was born in Ohio in 1835. He received his preparatory education at the academy in Monroe, Ohio, and at the age of seventeen entered the freshman class in Miami University, Oxford Ohio, where he remained for one year, giving special attention to the study of elocution. After teaching for some time, he entered the sophomore class in Monmouth College, and taught elocution and thereby paid his college expenses for two years, when he was elected instructor in elocution at Knox College, Galesburg, Illinois, with the privilege of completing his course of study. There he took his degree in 1859. For several years after graduation he taught elocution to voluntary classes in the principal colleges of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. In 1870 he was elected professor of elocution and English in the Illinois Wesleyan University where he remained until 1873, when he resigned to accept a similar position in the State Normal School at Kirkwood, Missouri. He remained at Kirkwood for three years, when he removed to Cincinnati, Ohio, and taught in Hughes and Woodward High Schools. In 1877 he was called to the chair of English and Elocution in the Illinois College, but at the close of the first year retired and removed to Chicago.

Professor Hamill's influence at the Illinois Wesleyan University was of a most positive character, and is now felt throughout the entire country through students who received instruction from him. Professor Swing uttered the simple truth when he said, "Prof. Hamill not only knows his subject through and through, but he knows how to impart it to others." It was during his professorship here that he published his "Science of Elocution."

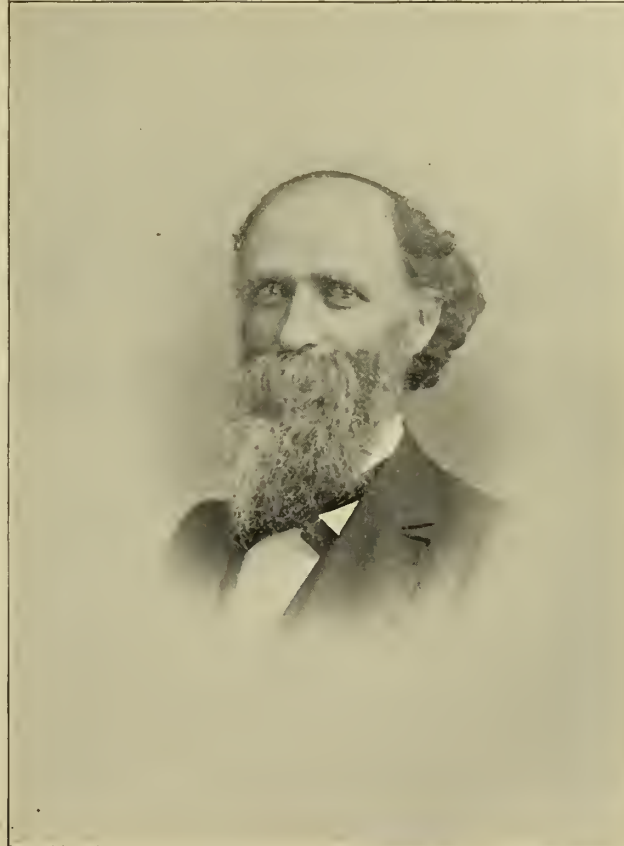
Mr. Hamill continues to teach private classes at 57, Washington Street, Chicago, where he practices his own motto, "Principles, not rules, the basis in theory; Nature, not imitation, the guide in practice."



BRADFORD S. POTTER,  
PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS.

Bradford S. Potter, M. A., Ph. D., was born in Walworth, Wayne county, New York, in 1836. He prepared for college at Walworth Academy and taught in the public schools during the years 1853 and 1854. In 1854 he entered Genesee Wesleyan, now Syracuse University, as a freshman; like many others he taught more or less during the time of his collegiate course, serving as principal of Webster Academy from 1856 to 1858. Upon reentering college, in connection with his studies he was employed as tutor in Latin; again in 1859 he was compelled to resort to teaching in order to be able to defray his expenses, and was employed in the Normal Department of Waterloo Academy. He received his degree, however, from Genesee Wesleyan in 1860; afterwards he taught at New Albany, Indiana, was principal for a time of Mexico Academy, New York, but was soon called to Baker University, Kansas, where he occupied the chair of mathematics until 1867, when he was elected professor of natural science at the Illinois Wesleyan University. Here he remained until 1876 when

he resigned to accept a position in the Missouri State Normal



BRADFORD S. POTTER.

at Kirksville. In 1879 he was called to the principalship of the Normal School at Shippensburg, Pa. In all of these positions he was a successful teacher and in the latter proved to possess administrative ability of decided merit. In 1884 he was recalled to the university as professor of natural science, and upon the resignation of Dr. De Motte, who had accepted the presidency of Chaddock College, he was transferred to the department of mathematics, which position he held until his voluntary resignation in 1892. He received the degree of Ph. D., from Allegheny College, Pa., on examination. Prof. Potter is an accurate scholar and in mathematics and the experimental sciences, has investigated broadly and thoroughly; as a teacher he was clear, kind, and helpful to the student; was universally respected for his purity of motive, his kindness of heart, and his discriminating judgment. During all the time of his service at the university he has been an active and most useful member of the University Charge and Grace Church. Ralph, the son, is a member of the class of '91; the daughter, Mary, took her entire course in the university, except the winter and spring terms of her senior year.



JABEZ R. JAKUES.

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PROFESSOR, 1865-75.

Prof. Jabez R. Jaques, B. A., M. A., Ph. D., D. D., was born in England in 1828, and died in Abingdon, Illinois, in 1892. He entered Genesee (now Syracuse) University in 1850, and was graduated valedictorian of his class in 1854. He was principal of Conference Seminary from 1854 to 1857; pastor of First Methodist Episcopal church, Rochester, New York; Professor of Ancient Languages in Collegiate Institute, Rochester, New York, from 1863 to 1865, when he was called to the professorship of Ancient Languages and German in the Illinois Wesleyan University, where he remained until 1875, when he was elected president of Albert College, Belleville, Canada. He served as president of that institution until 1885, when, for a short time, he returned to the pastorate in New York City, but accepted the presidency of Hedding College, Abingdon, Illinois, in 1886.

In 1869 he was elected a member of the American Philological Association, and in 1875 he received the degree of Ph. D. from Syracuse University, New York.

As a student of Dr. Jaques, I can say, he was not without honors, but his honors meant merit, and his merit seemingly far transcended his reward.

SUSANNAH M. D. FRY, PROFESSOR OF BELLES LETTRES.

Among women, one of the most distinguished educators is Mrs. Sue M. D. Fry, M. A., Ph. D., who from 1876 to June, 1890, occupied the chair of Belles Lettres at the Illinois Wesleyan University. She was born at Burlington, Ohio, 1841, and was graduated from the Female Seminary at Oxford, Ohio, in 1859. She immediately began to teach, being especially proficient in drawing, painting, music and literature.

For several years she taught in graded high schools. In 1868 she was married to Rev. James D. Fry, who was a member of the Ohio Conference. She interested herself in the Ladies' and Pastors' Christian Union, the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society and other philanthropic movements in the Methodist Episcopal Church, and in them all displayed fine perception, facility, clearness and accuracy of expression. In 1873 with her husband, she traveled and studied for one year in Europe, during which time she contributed articles to the religious press which indicated decisive talent. Upon her return to America she devoted her time and talents very largely to representing the interests of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society before the conferences. In 1876 she was elected Professor of Belles Lettres at the Illinois Wesleyan University, and in this position during her fourteen years of teaching, distinguished herself as a scholar and public



MRS. SUE M. D. FRY.

speaker of great ability, being especially strong in literature, history, history of art and æsthetics, and, as preceptress of the ladies' hall during the first years of her connection with the university, she exercised an influence second to but few who have been connected with the university at any time; and to her more than anyone else is due the successes of the Women's Educational Associations. In 1878 her scholarship was

recognized by Ohio Wesleyan University, which conferred upon her the degree of Master of Arts. In 1881 she took the degree of Ph. D. from Syracuse University. In addition to her duties as professor, she contributed articles to various periodicals, addressed conventions and conferences on educational and religious topics, and occupied a prominent position in many organizations local and general. She read a paper of decided merit before the Parliament of Religions in connection with the World's Fair at Chicago; was also a judge in the Liberal Art department of the Columbian Exposition and received the highest testimonials from the commissioner of the department for efficiency of service. Since severing her connection with the Illinois Wesleyan University she has taught in the English department of the University of Minnesota during the absence of the professor in charge, also in the department of history in the St. Paul high school as a substitute, and is at the present time editor-in-chief of the *Union Signal* in place of Miss Sudduth, one of her former pupils, and of the class of 1880, who is now traveling abroad.

JENNIE FOWLER WILLING, PROFESSOR OF ENGLISH LITERATURE.

Another distinguished woman, Mrs. Willing, occupied the chair of English literature in the university during the years of 1873 and 1876. She is a sister of Bishop Charles H. Fowler, and was born in Canada West in 1834. At the early age of sixteen she began contributing articles to the press, and assumed the duties of teacher, displaying marked abilities and strong character. At nineteen she was married to Rev. W. C. Willing, and in addition to her duties as the wife of an itinerant preacher, gave diligent attention to literature, writing more or less constantly for the religious press, and discharging the functions of the secretary of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, public speaker, organizer, editor of the *Heathen Woman's Friend*; in fact, she has been

more or less identified with the great movements of Methodism which in her day have called forth the peculiar abilities of women. She received the degree of M. E. L. from Jennings Seminary, and that of Master of Arts from Northwestern University.

LEWIS C. DOUGHERTY, PRINCIPAL PREPARATORY SCHOOL.

Lewis C. Dougherty, who was principal of the preparatory school of the Illinois Wesleyan University from 1886 to 1889 was educated at Monmouth Academy and in the Illinois State Normal School, where he



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pursued most of the studies of the high school in connection with the Normal course. Like most of the public school men of the day, he taught more or less before he entered upon his professional course of study, and during the time he was pursuing it. He served as principal of the Lacon schools two years, and of the Minonk schools seven years, when he was invited by President Adams to the position of principal of the preparatory school, which he accepted. Here he proved to be a first-class instructor and wise administrator, and a genial Christian gentleman. In the spring of 1889 he resigned to accept a position in the schools of Rock Island, where he still teaches.

WILLIAM H. WAITE, PROFESSOR OF LATIN.

William Henry Waite, M. A., Ph. D., was elected professor of Latin in 1883 and voluntarily resigned in June, 1890. He was a native of Illinois and was born well, having had the best advantages for an early



education. He prepared for college in the academy of the Northwestern University, from which institution he received the degree of B. A. As a student he was especially strong in the ancient languages and mathematics. He was soon called to a position in the high school of Peoria, Illinois, and taught Latin and Greek until called to the university in 1883. In 1890 he returned to Peoria to the position he formerly occupied. He received from Allegheny College the degree of Ph. D., and during the years 1893 and 1894 he traveled and studied in Europe. Upon his return he was called to Michigan University as instructor in Greek. As a scholar he is accurate and thorough; as a teacher he is rigid and efficient, being a perfect master in the class-room.

REUBEN M. BENJAMIN, PROFESSOR  
SINCE 1874.

Judge Reuben M. Benjamin B. A., M. A., LL. D., was born at Chatham Center, New York. He prepared for college in the academy at Kinderhook, New York, and entered Amherst, from which he was graduated in 1853. In 1853-4 he was principal of Hopkins Academy, Massachusetts. In 1854-5 he studied law at the Harvard law school; in 1855-56 he was tutor in Amherst College; in 1856 he came to Bloomington, Illinois, where he has since resided. He entered immediately upon the practice of his profession, first with Gridley, Wickizer



REUBEN M. BENJAMIN.

and Benjamin, later with Tipton and Benjamin, and later still with Weldon and Benjamin.

In 1869, Mr. Benjamin was elected as a member of the convention that formed the present constitution of the State, and rendered most valuable service, serving on the committees: Bill of Rights, Municipal Corporations, and State Institutions. He was counsel also for the People in the celebrated Lexington case (C. & A. R. R. Co. *vs.* the People, 67 Ill. Rep.), a case involving the question as to the right of railroad corporations to charge more for a less than for a greater distance. He was later employed as special counselor for the Railroad and Warehouse Commissioners, and in this case helped to establish the constitutional power of the legislature to regulate railroad and warehouse charges to thus protect the public.

"It is probable that the people of the State are indebted for the results of this agitation as given in the above decision to Hon. R. M. Benjamin, of Bloomington, in a greater degree than to any other single individual. As a member of the constitutional convention he made the clearest and most convincing arguments in favor of the rights of the people which were delivered in that body, and as special counsel for the People in the cases of the C. & A. R. R. *vs.* The People, and Munn *vs.* The People, has very materially contributed in establishing the principle contended for by him before the convention and established in above cases."

In 1873 Mr. Benjamin was elected county judge of McLean county, and continuously held the office until 1882. Upon the organization of the law school of the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1874, Judge Benjamin was elected dean, and held the office until 1892, when he voluntarily resigned the deanship that he might give greater attention to the professorship, and study. In 1879 he published "The Student's Guide to Elementary Law," which has proved to be a most valuable text-book.

His department is that of Elementary and Criminal Law and Real Property.

Mr. Benjamin is a courteous, cultured Christian gentleman, of exact and accurate scholarship. As a teacher he is clear, kind, instructive and stimulating.

JACOB P. LINDLEY, PROFESSOR SINCE 1883.

Jacob P. Lindley, A. B., LL. B., was born in Morgan county, Indiana, in 1850. He received his early education in New Providence Seminary, Hardin county, Iowa, and Poplar Ridge Seminary, Indiana. He entered the State University and graduated with a degree of A. B. in 1881, having taught for some years in the public schools of Iowa before entering upon his college course. He entered the law school of the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1881 and graduated in 1883. Soon after his graduation he was employed as teacher in the law school and taught Contracts in the spring term of 1884, at which time he became secretary and treasurer of the law school. He was elected a torney for the city of Bloomington in 1892, which office he still holds. He is a member of the Congregational church.



JACOB P. LINDLEY.

## JOHN M. SCOTT.

LECTURER IN LAW SCHOOL SINCE 1889.

Birth.—Was born in St. Clair county, Illinois, August 1, 1824.

Parents.—Samuel and Nancy Biggs Scott.

Race.—On father's side his people were of Irish extraction.

Education.—Common school, supplemented by private instruction.

Law.—Studied law in the office of Hon. William C. Kinney, Belleville, Illinois; was admitted to the bar in 1847, and came to Bloomington, Illinois, in 1848, to commence the practice of law.

Offices.—In 1852 was elected Judge of the County Court of McLean county, Illinois. In 1862 was elected Judge of the Circuit Court of the circuit in which McLean county was situated; was re-elected Circuit Judge in 1867 and held that office until elected Judge of the Supreme Court of Illinois in 1870; was re-elected Judge of the Supreme Court in 1879. During the eighteen years he was a member of the Supreme Court by allotment he became three times Chief Justice, viz.: in 1875, 1882, and 1886; was the first native citizen of Illinois to become a member of the Supreme Court and the first to become its Chief Justice. At the end of his second term as Judge of the Supreme Court, viz.: in June, 1888, he declined to be a candidate for re-election. His name first appears in the third volume of Gilman Reports and from a short time thereafter his name appears in the Illinois Reports as Attorney, Judge of the Trial Court, or as Judge of the Supreme Court writing the opinions, up into and including Vol. 126, Illinois Reports.

Personal.—In size medium—being five feet, eight and one-half inches in height and neither stout nor very spare. When young, hair was as black as it well could be and now it is yet full and white as it can well be.

Temperament.—Neither very cheerful nor very melancholy.



JOHN M. SCOTT.

Complexion.—Dark and inclined to be swarthy. Eyes hazel in color and perhaps a little larger than in most persons.

Peculiar Characteristics.—Writes always with a quill pen; in all later compositions the word "that" is seldom used. Appreciates a good story if it is clean; detests a dirty story or a practical joke. Has no taste for political life. Bearing in life quiet and friendly with all whom he may chance to meet.

Opinions.—His judicial opinions speak for themselves. No one is more sensible of the defects they contain than he is. Two cases may be regarded as a fair average: one is *Dunne vs. People*, 117 Ill. 120, and the other is *Field vs. Leiter*, 118 Ill. 17. Others are perhaps better and others not so well written.

Professional Labor.—It will be seen by what has gone before that his professional work has been mostly judicial labor; practiced law for only a brief time.

ROLLAND A. RUSSELL, CLASS OF '87; PROFESSOR SINCE 1893.

Rolland A. Russell, B. A., M. A., LL. B., Professor of the college of law, was born in Shelby county, Illinois, where

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he spent his youth on a farm. He entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in the spring of 1880. In 1881-82 he taught school; in 1883

returned to the Wesleyan and was graduated in 1887. From 1887 to 1889 he was principal of the Greenfield high school. He entered the law school in 1889, and was graduated in 1891, having studied also in the office of Benjamin & Morrissey of the city. He at once began the practice of law, but was soon invited to a position on the faculty, which he accepted. He teaches Kent and Gould on Pleading.

During his collegiate course Mr. Russell was considered a leader,

not only in his class but in college affairs. He is modest and unassuming, calm and even-tempered, and is most courteous and dignified in his bearing. Had he been willing to have yielded the profession of law, he would have been invited to a professorship in the college. He is one of the most worthy sons of the Wesleyan, destined to take a high rank in his profession.

COLOSTIN D. MYERS, PROFESSOR SINCE 1880.

Judge Colostin D. Myers, professor of practice in the college of law, was born in Ohio in 1847, and had the advantages of a rural life in Virginia until sixteen years old, when he



COLOSTIN D. MYERS.

began clerking in a dry goods store. During the late war he served in



Company B, 32nd Ohio Infantry. At the close of the war he attended the National Normal School, at Lebanon, Ohio, then taught school for two years in West Virginia. Having graduated from Lebanon, he entered the law department of Michigan University and completed its two years' course in 1874. He began the practice of law at Bloomington, Illinois, where his talents received early recognition. He was elected

judge of the county court, which office he still holds. As a teacher, he is clear, concise and inspiring, and has the universal respect of students and of citizens generally.

JOHN J. MORRISSEY, PROFESSOR OF  
LAW SINCE 1880.

John J. Morrissey, LL. B., is a native of Ireland, but received his education in the United States, having graduated from the law school of the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1880. His character, bearing and natural endowments strongly recommended him for a teacher in the law school, and at the meeting of the trustees in June of the year of his graduation he was elected professor of



JOHN J. MORRISSEY.

common law and equity pleading. He also entered into partnership with Judge Reuben M. Benjamin, with whom he is still associated in teaching and practice. He is a gentleman of pleasing and unassuming manners, of elevated sentiment, of refined taste and of strict integrity.

JAMES B. TAYLOR, CLASS OF 1869.

James B. Taylor, M. A., M. D., was born in Kentucky in 1850. His youth was spent in Missouri, Kentucky and Illinois. He prepared for college in the State Normal University and the Illinois Wesleyan preparatory school, and graduated from the college in June, 1869. He was one of the company of students who accompanied Major Powell in his early exploring expedition to the Rocky Mountains. During his college course he did some tutoring in Latin, and immediately upon graduation began teaching in Kentucky and met with eminent success. In 1875 he was called to his *alma mater* as professor of natural science. Here he remained for two years, then on a leave of absence visited Germany for special study, resuming his work at the university upon his return. In 1879, having yielded to the conviction that he should follow professionally in the footsteps of his father, he went to New York and entered the medical college where he took the complete course and had extended practice in the hospital. After graduating from the medical college he returned to the city of Bloomington and began the practice of medicine, his specialties being the eye, ear and throat. At the same time he was retained by the university as professor and lecturer on physiology and hygiene, giving one full year's course of five hours a week to the subjects. This position he retained until 1892, when his increasing practice rendered it no longer possible for him to direct the course. Dr. Taylor will be remembered as a student of the highest rank, accurate and thorough in all his investigations. He has given special attention to biological studies and is considered an authority in all matters pertaining to his specialties. He has contributed frequently to medical and educational reviews, and has published a most admirable pamphlet on Christian Science. While he stands high in his profession, he was pre-eminently a teacher, rarely excelled either in manner or in his retirement from the faculty was the university's loss.



LAWRENCE WELDON.

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PROFESSOR. 1876-83.

Judge Lawrence Weldon, LL. D., was born in Muskingum county, Ohio, in 1829; removed, with his parents, to Madison county, Ohio, when a child; was educated at the common schools, at the local academy, and at Wittenberg College, Springfield, Ohio; read law, and was admitted to the bar in 1853; was a clerk in the office of the secretary of state of Ohio in 1853 and 1854; in that year removed to Clinton, De Witt county, Illinois, and engaged in the practice of law; in 1860 was elected a representative in the State legislature, and was also a presidential elector on the republican ticket; in 1861 resigned his seat in the legislature to accept the appointment of United States Attorney for the southern district of Illinois, tendered him by President Lincoln; resigned in 1866, and, in 1867, removed to Bloomington, Illinois, where he continued the practice of his profession; in November, 1883, was appointed, by President Arthur, an associate justice of the United States court of claims. This position he fills with distinguished ability.

Though the university congratulated itself on having one of its faculty chosen to this eminent position, his services in the law school were so valuable that it was unwilling for him to sever entirely his connection with its faculty; consequently he was prevailed upon to remain as lecturer. Residing in Bloomington for a few months annually, he is able to perform the functions of the office. It will be seen that Judge Weldon has been associated with the faculty of the law school since 1876, as professor or lecturer. As a lecturer he excels in clearness and beauty of expression, having great wealth of illustration from history and literature; as a teacher he begets an interest in his subject, and is patient, luminous and thorough, is dignified and courteous, affable and approachable; in character, irreproachable as to private as well as to his public life.

LYDE R. PORTER, ASSISTANT IN PREPARATORY SCHOOL.

Miss Lyde R. Porter, instructor in English in the preparatory school, is a native of Bloomington, where she has spent her entire life. She completed the courses of study in the public schools, including the high school, attended the State Normal University for a short time, and spent two years of study in the Wesleyan. The remainder of her life has been given to teaching, mainly in the public schools of the city, until

in 1891 she was elected to the position she now holds. She is a most enthusiastic teacher, and invariably awakens the pupil and begets an interest in the subject taught. The student who will not learn may fail to be quickened in intellect and spurred to intellectual energy under her tuition, but if he gives any attention to his studies he must advance. Miss Porter belongs to a family of teachers. Three of her sisters have for several years maintained positions in the city schools, and whether as teachers or principals are recognized as most efficient.



LYDE R. PORTER.

Robert B., of the class of 1871, was her brother, and Miss Rachel Bauman, of the class of 1889, is her niece and a daughter of Rev. James V. W. Bauman, of the class of 1863. Miss Porter is patient and careful, and is especially strong in English and history, bringing to the class-room a wealth of information and illustration. She is a devout member of the Methodist church.



ROBERT O. GRAHAM.



## ROBERT O. GRAHAM.

PROFESSOR SINCE 1883.

Robert O. Graham, M. A., Ph. D., professor of chemistry and geology, dean of the post-graduate college, was born in Western Pennsylvania, and prepared for college in the New Brighton high school and Witherspoon Academy of his native State. He entered Amherst College in 1873 and was graduated in 1877. During his collegiate course he made a specialty of mathematics and chemistry. Before completing his course he was elected professor of science in Monson Academy, a preparatory school in New England, where he spent one year, but in the meantime began the study of medicine with a view to its practice as his life work. He soon, however, received a call to the professorship of chemistry in the Westminster College, Pa., the chief institution of the United Presbyterian Church in which communion he was reared. He occupied the chair in Westminster College for eight years and through his ingenuity, skill, and industry, built good working laboratories. His eight years' experience in this professorship revealed to him not only the needs of post-graduate study, but the special fields of investigation which would best prepare him for his professorship, hence he was granted a year's leave of absence and entered upon graduate study at Johns Hopkins University, where at the close of the year's study he was encouraged by Professor Remsen to think he could complete the course of study and receive the degree of Ph. D., by remaining another year. He then resigned his position at Westminster and took the degree of Ph. D., in 1888. His summers were spent in the natural gas companies of the Pittsburg Testing Company's laboratory. In the summer of 1888, upon the invitation of President Wilder, he accepted the professorship of chemistry and geology in the Illinois Wesleyan University, where he has made for himself a reputation as a most success-

ful teacher, enterprising citizen, and a Christian gentleman of splendid social qualities. During the first year attempts were made for additional facilities in his department and the Shellabarger laboratory was placed at his service, the old laboratory having been enlarged and thoroughly equipped as well. Since then, upon the death of Henry Swayne, the Swayne private laboratory has been placed in the university, affording the Professor the best advantages for original research, and the advanced student in chemistry rare opportunities for instruction.

He is a member of the American Chemical Society, and Director of the city library. It was under Dr. Graham's influence that the Wilder Reading Room was organized and established, and that the Wesleyan Lecture Course, so successfully managed for six years, was undertaken. His services as expert chemist are in great demand in central Illinois. As Dean of the Non-resident and Post-graduate department, he shows rare skill and ability.

## B. P. MARSH, PROFESSOR OF PHYSIOLOGY AND HYGIENE.

B. P. Marsh, M. A., M. D., who ably taught physiology and hygiene in the university from 1876 to 1880, is a native of New York State and was born in 1841. He was graduated from Knox College in 1864 and afterwards completed a medical course of study at Chicago, having studied at Hahnemann and Rush colleges. From 1868 to 1873 he was principal of Bloomington high school. This position he resigned to enter upon the practice of medicine, for which he had thoroughly prepared. An only son, Walworth, graduated with the class of 1895.

Lectures also were delivered by John L. White, M. D., from 1872 to 1876. The lectureship was instituted by President Munsell with a view to the organization of a medical department, but the conditions have never warranted the organization of a distinct professional school, though courses are now arranged in view of the medical profession.



MORTON J. ELROD.

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PROFESSOR SINCE 1888.

Morton J. Elrod, B. A., M. A., Professor of biology and physics, was born in 1863 in Western Pennsylvania and removed with his parents to Iowa in early childhood. He was prepared for college in the public schools of his State, and the Monroe high school, from which he was graduated in 1882, whereupon he entered Simpson College, Iowa, and was graduated in 1887. He was fortunate in having good health and being compelled to rely upon his own resources to secure the money to defray his expenses while in college. This necessity gave him three years' experience in teaching, all in one school, before his graduation. His specialty in college was biology, and when required to bring fifty specimens of flowers properly analyzed, he presented a herbarium of two thousand specimens. He served as assistant in the science department and did efficient work in his college before his graduation. In 1887, the year after graduation, he was principal of the high school of Corydon, Iowa. In the summer of 1888 he was invited by President Wilder to the position of assistant teacher in the science departments in the Illinois Wesleyan University, where his ability as a teacher was soon recognized, and in 1889 he was made adjunct-professor of natural science, and in 1891 was elected professor of biology and physics. He has developed fine skill as a taxidermist, and has used that ability as curator of the museum to great advantage to the university. For a number of years he has been one of the editors of the Iowa School Journal.

He is a member of the American Ornithologist Union, the Biological Society of Washington, D. C.; the American Association of Conchologists, and the Wilson chapter of the Agassiz Association. He is also a contributor to many of the leading papers and magazines of the day.

During the summers of 1894 and 1895 he organized exploring companies composed largely of students, and, spending some time in the Rocky Mountains and the Yellowstone Park, he secured the recognition of the new species *andrya americana* (Stiles) and *enallagma carunculatum*.

Those who know Professor Elrod need not be told that he is a general favorite with the students, and that his popularity and fame at home and abroad are increasing.



MARGARET VAN LEER.

MRS. MARGARET VAN LEER.

Miss Martha Langstaff, now Mrs. Bert Van Leer, of this city, was elected instructor in English and elocution in 1890, and served two years. She was a graduate of the Lexington high school, and a student in the Northwestern School of Oratory under Professor Cumnock, having completed the required course of study. She showed marked ability as a reader and teacher of voice culture and elocution. She was a great favorite among students and in Bloomington society. She was married to Bert Van Leer in 1894, and resides in this city.

She was preceded in her work of instruction by some of the university's sons who have achieved distinction, among whom are James Oliver Wilson, who also was instructor in this department at Drew Seminary; Samuel Van Pelt, the successful president of Grand Prairie Seminary; J. H. Ciljan and Robert McKay.



MELVIN P. LACKLAND.



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PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS.

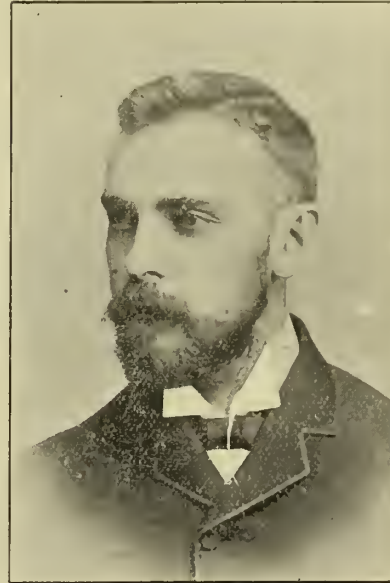
Professor Melvin P. Lackland, B. A., M. A., B. D., was born in 1851 in Tremont, Illinois, where his childhood and youth were spent upon the farm and in the country schools. He entered the preparatory school of the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1872, and was graduated from the college of letters in 1878. He was a prominent member of the Belles Lettres literary society, and was president of his class. He studied one year at Drew Theological Seminary, and completed his theological course at Garrett Biblical Institute in 1881. He united with the Central Illinois Conference of the same year and served as pastor at Sibley, Selma, Reaonke until 1888. At the latter place he was also principal of the public schools, having taught his first school before entering the preparatory department of the university. Feeling drawn to the work of education, he entered Johns Hopkins University in the fall of 1888, and did special work in mathematics. He was afterwards chosen professor of mathematics in Chaddock College and succeeded President Hornbeck of that institution, where he remained doing valiant service until 1892, when called to the chair of mathematics in the Illinois Wesleyan University.

## ROBERT EBENEZER WILLIAMS.

Hon. Robert E. Williams was the first University Lecturer on legal subjects, and at the organization of the Law School became Professor of Constitutional, International, and Criminal Law, which position he occupied with great acceptability until 1877. He was born in Pennsylvania, in 1825, educated at Washington and Bethany Colleges, and began his legal practice in Bloomington, in 1850. In legal lore he is not only one of the most eminent but also one of the most profound lawyers in Illinois, having practiced extensively in the Supreme Court of the State.

## WILLIAM ARTHUR HEIDEL, PROFESSOR OF GREEK.

William Arthur Heidel, B. A., M. A., Ph. D., late professor of Greek in the Illinois Wesleyan University, was born in 1868 at Burlington, Iowa, of German-American parents. He attended the public



WILLIAM ARTHUR HEIDEL.

schools, and in 1884-5, his father being pastor of the German Methodist Episcopal church at Quincy, Illinois, he attended Chaddock College. In 1888 he was graduated from Central Wesleyan College, Warrenton, Missouri. From 1888 to 1890 he was a graduate student in the University of Berlin, Germany. Upon his return to the United States, in the fall of 1890, he was elected instructor in Greek in the Illinois Wesleyan University, and professor of Greek in 1891, which place he held until 1894, when he was granted a leave of absence for continued study in the University of Chicago, having received an appointment as Fellow in Greek. He received the degree of Ph. D.

in June, 1895. He was offered the chair of modern languages in the university, but declined, not caring to devote his attention to these subjects, much to the regret of the university. His gentlemanly bearing, his Christian spirit, and accurate and broad learning, made him a favorite among Bloomington people, who deeply regret losing him.



WILBERT FERGUSON.

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PROFESSOR OF GREEK.

Wilbert Ferguson, B. A., M. A., professor of Greek in the Illinois Wesleyan University, was born in 1857 at Richwood, Ohio, where he prepared for college in the public schools, having served an apprenticeship in the office of the local Gazette. In 1874 he entered the Ohio Wesleyan University and was graduated in 1879, having taught for two years in the meantime; one year in the grammar grade at Richwood, and one year as superintendent of village schools at La Rue, Ohio.

The years following graduation were spent as one of the editors and publishers of the Richwood Gazette. In the fall of 1882 he was elected assistant professor of ancient languages in Adrian College, Adrian, Michigan. The next year he was elected to the chair of Greek in that institution, where he remained as professor in charge until 1894, with the exception of two years, 1890 and 1891, which he spent in study at the University of Leipsic, Germany. In 1894, in the absence of Professor William A. Heidel, he was invited to come to the Illinois Wesleyan University as acting professor of Greek, and in 1895 he was elected professor.

In one year he has fully justified the statements made by those recommending him as a talented man, a ripe scholar, and a successful teacher. It is no disparagement to the other noble men who have occupied the chair of Greek to say that at no time in the history of the Illinois Wesleyan University has Greek been made more popular and the work of the department of a better grade in extent or character.

He is pure minded, deeply in love with his profession as a teacher, a close student of human nature, almost intuitively perceives the thoughts of his students, and employs most rational pedagogical methods of instruction and class government.

MARTHA LUELLA DENMAN, PROFESSOR OF BELLES LETTRES.

Martha Luella Denman, B. A., Professor of Belles Lettres, is a native of McLean county. Left an orphan in childhood, she found a home with her uncle Smith Denman at Nokomis, Illinois. She attended the public schools until fifteen years of age, when she entered the State Normal, where she pursued a five years' course of study, completing both the normal and high school courses. In the meantime, however, she acquired considerable experience in teaching in the public schools and showed marked ability in that profession. In September, 1889, she entered Smith College, Massachusetts, where she remained in study for two years, and then for one year was principal of the high school at Hillsboro, Illinois. She entered the senior class of the Michigan University in 1892, and was graduated in June, 1893, when she was called to the university as instructor in English. Here she showed her eminent qualifications and was elected to the Charles Cramp professorship of belles lettres in 1894. She created great enthusiasm in the university upon these subjects. Her influence upon the body of the students, especially upon the young women, is most wholesome and refining.



MARTHA LUELLA DENMAN.

## ROBERT BENSON STEELE, PROFESSOR OF LATIN.

Robert Benson Steele, B. A., M. A., Ph. D., professor of Latin, was born in Lodi, Wisconsin, where, on a farm, he spent his childhood and youth. He was graduated from the University of Wisconsin in



ROBERT BENSON STEELE.

1883. From 1883 to 1885 he taught school in Wisconsin, when he entered Johns Hopkins University for graduate work. In 1886 he was elected professor of Latin in Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio, which position he filled for two years. He re-entered Johns Hopkins university in 1888, having been appointed one of the university scholars for that year. In 1889 he received the appointment of Fellow in Latin. In June of this year he received the degree of M. A. from his *alma mater* on examination with a thesis on the Greek in Cicero's Epistles. He took the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from Johns Hopkins University in 1890, and

was elected professor of Latin in St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota. In 1891 he was called to the chair of Latin in the Illinois Wesleyan University, where he has sustained his scholarly reputation. In the fall of 1894 he was happily united in marriage with Elizabeth J. Reed.

Professor Steele is not only a master in his own department, but is perfectly at home in history, English literature, Greek and philosophy. For several years he has had charge of the English classics in the preparatory school and directed the study and composition required.

## MRS. ELIZABETH J. STEELE.

Miss Elizabeth J. Reed, now Mrs. Professor Steele, is a native of Illinois. She acquired an elementary education in the public schools, and graduated from Hedding College, receiving the degree of B. A.



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After several years' experience in the public schools as a teacher, she taught in Abingdon College for two years, after which she spent some time in Wellesley College, Massachusetts, in special study of history and literature. Upon her return she was employed as teacher of rhetoric and literature in the high school at Monmouth, Illinois, when she was called to the Illinois Wesleyan University as instructor in English in 1890, and filled the position with eminent ability until 1893. In June, 1893, she received the degree of Ph. D., on examination, from Allegheny College, Pennsylvania. She was married to Robert B. Steele,

in the fall of 1894, and remains a member of the university society.



## CALVIN W. GREEN, PRINCIPAL PREPARATORY SCHOOL.

Calvin W. Green, B. A., M. A., Principal of the Preparatory School, is a native of Ohio. He obtained his elementary education in the country school, in the high school at Ottawa, and in the Normal School at Ada, Ohio. He was graduated from the Ohio Wesleyan University in 1885. During his college course he was President Payne's private secretary for more than a year, and while yet in the Freshmen class tutored in the preparatory school. In 1886 he taught Mathematics and Latin in Greenville college, Kentucky, and in 1887 was principal of Science Grove seminary, Roberts, Ky., where he remained until 1889, when elected principal of the preparatory school of the university.

As a teacher Professor Green is clear, quick, and precise, mathematics and Latin being his specialties. He, however, has demonstrated his ability as an all round teacher, and has taught most successfully classes in history and English, and for one term taught the college class in trigonometry. He has rare gifts as a principal, is firm and yet kind. Under his efficient management the preparatory school is not only thoroughly organized as a department of the university, but most efficient in preparing students for the work of the college. Since



CALVIN W. GREEN.

1890 he has taught annually in the McLean county Institute, to which work he is well adapted. He has been active, earnest, and successful in promoting the interests of the Christian Associations of the university.

## ALICE S. MILLER, ASSISTANT IN PREPARATORY SCHOOL.

Mrs. Alice S. Miller was born near Hillsboro, Ohio, and attended the public schools. Having come to Illinois in 1858, she entered the



MRS. ALICE S. MILLER.

State Normal University, where she pursued the professional course of study with a view to teaching. After completing her course, she taught successfully in the public schools of Bloomington, Towanda, in the high school at Chenoa, where she also acted as superintendent one year, which position she resigned to accept the position of assistant county superintendent of schools of McLean county. The duties of this office she performed with faithfulness and marked ability for five years. Her teaching in the Wesleyan has been of the most excellent quality. She is a woman of rare common sense, of fine administrative and executive ability and of highest Christian

character. Her husband was county superintendent for thirteen years. The only child, Leona, is a member of the present sophomore class.



LEONIDAS HAMLINE KERRICK.

## SOME CHIEF GRADUATES.

## LEONIDAS HAMLINE KERRICK.

Leonidas Hamline Kerrick, chairman of the executive committee of the board of trustees, was born in 1846, and is the son of a Methodist minister. He entered the Illinois Wesleyan University from Woodford county, Illinois, and completed its course of study in 1866. For one year he was principal of the model school, which was the forerunner of the preparatory department. In 1867 he accompanied Professor John W. Powell on his exploring expedition to the Rocky Mountains.

Immediately after his graduation he began the study of law and was admitted to its practice in 1868. In 1871 he was elected by the Republicans a member of the Twenty-seventh Legislature, at which time the new constitution was adopted. His opponent for the nomination was Hon. Thomas Mitchell, a man of extended experience and of fine ability. In 1868 he was married to Sallie E. Funk, the only daughter of Hon. Isaac Funk.

Early in 1870 Mr. Kerrick's health failed him, since which time he has not devoted himself to the practice of law, but to farming. For many years he has been one of the chief men of the First Methodist Episcopal church, and also one of the most efficient members of the board of trustees of the university. As a student Mr. Kerrick was a favorite, and the advancing years have not lessened that element in his character, as to this day he is a favorite among the graduates, and no

official visits the university who is more heartily welcomed by faculty and students. He is quiet and unobtrusive in manner, kind and sympathetic in spirit, generous by nature, and always ready to respond to appeals for help. He is regarded among the graduates as their best after-dinner speaker.

## WILLIAM FLETCHER SHORT, 1854.

The second degree conferred by the university was B. A., upon Rev. William Fletcher Short, whose character, attainments and life work fully justify the action. He was born in Ohio, 1829; prepared for college in the public schools of Illinois, studied at McKendree and completed his course at the Wesleyan, 1854; entered upon the ministry in 1856 and served charges at Winchester, Carlinville, Hillsboro, and Jacksonville. In 1871 he succeeded the sainted George Rutledge as presiding elder of the Jacksonville district, and, at the expiration of his term of office, became president of the historic Illinois Female College. This position he held with dignity, grace and efficiency, until 1893, when he resigned to accept the superintendency of the State institution for the blind, which was tendered him by Governor Altgelt. Ohio Wesleyan recognized his character and scholarship and honored him with the degree of S. T. D., in 1879, and the Illinois Conference gave him distinction by electing him delegate to the General Conference, in 1880.



JOSEPH W. FIFER.



## JOSEPH WILSON FIFER.

CLASS OF 1868.

Ex-Governor Joseph W. Fifer, B. S., LL. D., is one of our most distinguished sons. We cannot do better in presenting the salient features of his life and character than to present a brief sketch from the *Pekin Daily Evening Post* of March 25, 1895:

"The pathetic story of ex-Governor Fifer's heroic career has now almost become a thrice told tale among the people of Illinois. His early hardships and privations; his patriotic though obscure service in the war; his terrible gunshot wound through the body, which would have killed a less determined and heroic man; his subsequent struggles to procure an education in the midst of the ill-health and disabilities occasioned by his wound; his rise from obscurity to a position as one of the best lawyers in the State, then to the State senate, and finally to be governor—all this, we say, has endeared Mr. Fifer to the people of Illinois, and has made his figure a heroic one in the annals of our beloved commonwealth.

"Joseph Wilson Fifer was, like Lincoln, born in a slave State. From Staunton, Virginia, where he was born, his father removed to the western part of McLean county in 1857, where he opened a small farm in the forest. There the elder Fifer built a rude log cabin, which sheltered Joseph with the rest of the family until the war came on. The elder Fifer was a brick-layer, and Joseph learned that trade from his father, and alternated between farm work and laying brick, getting but small education in the winter months at the common district school. Then the war opened and troops were called for, and early in the spring of '61 Joseph and his brother, George Fifer, walked fifteen miles to Bloomington and enlisted in the 33rd Illinois Infantry, which soon went to the front, and did great fighting. Mr. Fifer participated in all battles

of the memorable Vicksburg campaign of '63, and, at Jackson, Mississippi, on July 13, 1863, in the midst of an assault upon the rebel entrenchments, he fell pierced by a minie rifle ball, which passed through his right lung and also through the upper part of his liver, a kind of injury from which few men have ever recovered. Mr. Fifer served out his time, and returning home began in 1864 his still more heroic struggle to obtain an education, which has been told and retold, and really cannot be told too often for the encouragement of the rising generation of Americans. It is enough to say here that he succeeded, and in June, 1868, took his diploma from the Illinois Wesleyan University at Bloomington.

Still goaded on by his ambition, and by the spur of poverty, he began the study of law, and the year 1869 found his shingle swinging to the breeze at Bloomington. His career from that time is well known. He was first corporation counsel of the city of Bloomington, then State's attorney two terms, in which latter office he was a terror to evil doers, and, though meeting some of the ablest criminal lawyers in the State, no felon who was really guilty ever escaped him. The Republicans of McLean county next elevated him to the State senate, where he did able work and began to acquire a State reputation, and in 1888 he was called from a retirement which he had voluntarily sought, to become the Republican candidate for governor, to which office he was elected. It is not too much to say that he administered the governor's office with a high intelligence and impartiality which has won him the encomiums of fair men of all parties.

"Mr. Fifer is six feet in height with his boots on, spare in flesh, of a swarthy, rather dark complexion, keen black eyes, with a heavy head of coarse black hair, now turning gray. His carriage is erect, his movements elastic, his weight about 150 pounds, though his frame is larger than is indicated by his weight, and he possesses great physical

strength in proportion to the volume of his muscles. His endurance is marvelous. He has a wife and two children, to whom he is devotedly attached, and who claim all the better fruits of his life and labors. Mr. Fifer was as able and upright a governor as Illinois ever had, because he, like all the best of American statesmen, is one of the people. He is one of the best types of the best people, of the best nation in the world.

In advocating the nomination of Mr. Fifer for vice-president on the Republican ticket in 1896, the Post, among other things, said: "We do not claim that the party is narrowed down to one man like our friends in the other camp. But we do believe that among the brainy statesmen of Illinois today none of them are better qualified or so well known as Governor Fifer, and surely none will arouse more popular enthusiasm."

The defeat of Governor Fifer for re-election in 1892 was doubtless due mainly to the firm stand he took in favor of compulsory education, his view being pronounced and advanced. Whatever may be his political fortunes in the future, the name and presence of Joseph W. Fifer will ever arouse enthusiasm among the students and friends of the Illinois Wesleyan University, who remember his struggles for an education, his lofty ambition to excel by rigid conscientious devotion to correct principle, and his manly and pure life in public and private.

JOHN V. W. BAUMAN, CLASS OF 1863.

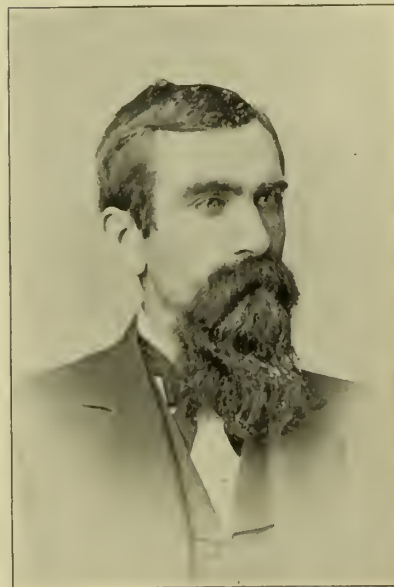
John V. W. Bauman was born in Buford, Highland county, Ohio, in 1841, and when ten years old came to Tazewell county, Illinois. Here in the home of his grandfather, a Methodist local preacher, his taste for reading was encouraged and his time as a pupil in the country schools was so well improved that at the age of eighteen he was a successful teacher in the schools of Macon and Tazewell counties.

He entered the Wesleyan in the fall of 1860, and with the excep-

tion of part of the spring term of 1862, which was spent in the army, pursued his studies continuously until his graduation in 1863. He was appointed to a position in the city schools of Bloomington, where he taught for a time. In September of 1864 he joined the Illinois Conference and was appointed successively to Danville, Paxton and Mattoon.

ANDREW STICKLE WILSON, CLASS OF 1868.

Judge Andrew Stickle Wilson, M. A., was born in 1847, at Mt. Zion, Macon county, Illinois. His father, Rev. James J. Wilson, was a minister in the Cumberland Presbyterian church. After serving for a short period as a private in Company K, 145 Illinois Volunteer Infantry, Andrew S. entered the Illinois Wesleyan University. After graduation he commenced the study of law in the office of Stuart, Edwards and Brown, in Springfield, and was admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of Illinois in March, 1869. He immediately located in Washington, Kansas, where he opened a law office. In the fall of that year he was elected to the legislature of Kansas, and was re-elected in 1870. He was the youngest member of both sessions



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of the legislature. In the spring of 1871, he was appointed, by the

governor of Kansas, judge of the Twelfth judicial district of Kansas, which position he held for fourteen years, having been elected three times. He then resigned, and opened a law office in Washington, Kansas, where he practiced until 1889, when he removed to Sioux City, Iowa, where he is still engaged in the practice of law, his firm name being Wilson and Quick.

ROBERT EMMET MOORE, CLASS OF 1869.

Robert Emmet Moore, B. A., M. A., son of Rev. W. H. H. Moore, of the Illinois Conference, was born in Clark county, Illinois, in 1849. He entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1865 and was graduated in 1869. He studied law for two years and was admitted to the bar at Champaign, Illinois, but began his practice in Lincoln, Nebraska, where he still resides.

For six years he devoted himself exclusively to the practice of his profession, but since that time he has been engaged in a general brokerage and banking business, in which he has been eminently successful, having amassed a handsome fortune. He was elected as police judge of his city and served one term; was mayor from 1883 to 1885, and served as State senator three different terms, to the great satisfaction of his constituency.



ROBERT EMMET MOORE.

Mr. Moore is one of the charter members of the Munsellian literary society, and in those days when the literary society halls furnished the chief opportunity for a development of literary and forensic talent, he was recognized as a leader. In logic he was a master, and in debate was a formidable antagonist. As a student, he was both thorough and accurate. He delivered the Master's oration before the university, 1872.

ALEXANDER CLAY BYERLY, CLASS OF 1871.

Alexander Clay Byerly, A. M., D. D., was born in Johnson county, Indiana, August 21 1842. In his boyhood he removed to De Witt county, Illinois, where he grew to manhood. His early life was spent on a farm. When eighteen years of age he enlisted in the army, entering the Mississippi Marine Brigade. After the war he returned home and soon became a soldier of Christ, uniting with the Methodist Episcopal church. Duty's call made him a minister of the gospel and led him to prepare to preach by entering the Illinois Wesleyan University, where he pursued the classical course, paying his way by his own efforts until his graduation in 1871. Three years thereafter his *alma mater* conferred on this *Bachelor in Artibus* the degree of A. M., and in 1894 gave him the honorary degree of D. D. In 1871 he joined the Illinois Annual



ALEXANDER C. BYERLY.

Conference. After serving the church as pastor for twenty-one years, his last charge being First Church, Springfield, he was appointed presiding elder of Champaign district, and now resides in Urbana. Thorough as a student, practical and often powerful as a preacher, able as an executive officer, he is a worthy son of this institution and of the church.

He is now presiding elder on the Champaign district, and is evincing more than ordinary skill in dedicating churches, and bids fair to rival those of greater fame.

DAVID L. BRETHOUR, CLASS OF 1888.

David L. Brethour, Ph. B., 1888, M. A., 1890, Ph. D., 1892, traces his lineage back to the Palatines, of which were Philip Embury and Barbara Heck. His secondary education was obtained in the high



DAVID L. BRETHOUR

school of the Province Ontario, Canada. He was sometime a student of Victoria University; entered the ministry of the Methodist church in Canada in 1860, and has served many of the best charges in his conference; is now stationed at Hamilton, Ontario. He has served as chairman of various districts and was elected president of the Niagara Conference in 1887; has been secretary of the stationing committee for many years, also treasurer of the Conference Educational Society, and member of the board of examiners; elected to the General Conference for five

quadrenniums; is secretary and treasurer of the standing Committee on Temperance; in 1891 had charge of the Church movement for prohibition in Canada; in 1894 took leading part in the Canada Temperance Act.

BENJAMIN WEBB BAKER, CLASS OF 1874.

President Benjamin Webb Baker, Ph. B., M. A., Ph. D., was born in Coles, Illinois, 1841. He was one of those fortunate men whose parents were poor yet honest and industrious. President Baker was left fatherless when but a child, and was compelled to aid in earning a livelihood for his widowed mother, and upon a timbered farm laid the foundations for a rugged physical manhood and a stalwart moral character. He attended the select subscription school a few months annually until 1861, when he enlisted in Co. E, 25th Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and during three years participated in many hard fought battles. In 1865 he took up a more heroic battle to gain an education, and entered the Illinois State Normal University, from which he was graduated in 1870, at which time also he was elected principal of the Grammar department, which position he held for four years. In 1870 he entered



BENJAMIN WEBB BAKER.

the Illinois Wesleyan University, from which he has successively taken his degrees. In 1874 he united with the Central Illinois Conference, and with the exception of one year in Denver has given most efficient service to the Church, having been presiding elder for one full term,



in which position he displayed rare administrative ability.

He represented his conference in the General Conference of 1888. In 1890 he became financial secretary of the Illinois Wesleyan University, which office he held until 1893. He brought to this position, so difficult to fill, unbounded enthusiasm, great faith in his cause, extraordinary endurance and rare skill in interesting the common people and youth in the cause of Christian education, and in securing the endowments that have come to the university since 1888.

In 1895 he was elected president of Chaddock College, where he is waging a desperately earnest and heroic battle to establish that institution and save it to Methodism. If President Baker does not win this battle, it cannot be won, for no man is better adapted to the conditions, and no one more self-sacrificing and heroic. He has faithfully served the Illinois Wesleyan University for many years as trustee, and will ever be remembered as one who has contributed largely to its success.

DAVID MADISON HARRIS, CLASS OF 1867.

In 1867, a tall, angular youth who had given unusually close attention to study, delivered his graduating oration and received his diploma from the university. Like Dr. H. C. DeMotte, David Madison Harris, B. A., M. A., Ph. D., D. D., gave himself to the honorable profession of teaching and was called to the chair of natural science at Lincoln University in 1868; in 1870 he was transferred to the department of Greek in the institution and there remained teaching with great success until 1883, when he was elected editor-in-chief of the "Cumberland Presbyterian," the leading periodical of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, of which communion Dr. Harris is a member. Since 1891 he has edited the "Saint Louis Observer," of which he is also proprietor. He has traveled and studied extensively in Europe, giving especial attention to economics and sociology, in France, Germany, and England.



JOSEPH C. HARTZELL.

CLASS OF 1868.

Rev. Joseph C. Hartzell, M. A., D. D., began life as a farmer boy in the broad prairies of Illinois. At the age of sixteen he taught his first common school, and from that time for eleven years he gave his best efforts toward securing a thorough education in order to fully fit himself for his chosen work, the ministry.

In order he completed a high school course, the classical course in the Illinois Wesleyan University, receiving the degree of A. B.; and the theological course in Garrett Biblical institute, receiving the degree of B. D. In 1879, both the Illinois Wesleyan University and the Allegheny College conferred on him the degree of D. D.

He began his ministry in the Central Illinois Conference, and was stationed at Pekin in 1868, from which charge he was transferred to New Orleans, where he served as pastor of Ames church for three years. For nine years thereafter he was presiding elder, and while serving in this capacity he founded and edited the Southwestern Christian Advocate, making it such an important factor in the work of the Methodist Episcopal church in the South that it became a General Conference publication.

He was elected assistant corresponding secretary of the Freedman's Aid and Southern Educational Society, which position he filled with marked ability for six years. At the General Conference of 1888, he was elected corresponding secretary of the same society, and was re-elected to the same position at the General Conference of 1892.

In addition to the work in the specific field to which the church has assigned him, Dr. Hartzell has done much to mould public sentiment in the South in favor of a broader, more humanitarian civilization. While in New Orleans he was a member of the city school board, and did much in the reorganization of the public schools of that city. To his energy, faith and perseverance is due much of the success of the Methodist Episcopal church throughout the South.

Dr. Hartzell is a man of splendid physique, of good personal presence, eminently sociable, possessing more than ordinary magnetism as a platform orator, and wields a power for good in the world which few indeed would attain. He has been called to some of the most honorable and most responsible positions in the church of his choice, and by

his natural endowments, acquired power, and conscientious efforts he has uniformly filled those positions to the satisfaction of the church. He is a leader, especially in the work of the church in the South, and to his suave manner, his quiet demeanor, even under provocation, and his good, straightforward, practical common sense is to be attributed much of the success of the educational and church work of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the South.

MARQUIS L. FULLINWIDER, CLASS OF 1871.

Marquis L. Fullinwider, B. A., M. A., M. D., was born in Mechanicsburg, Illinois, in 1849. He entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1867, from which he was graduated in 1871. He entered the medical department of the University of Vermont in 1872 and graduated from Rush Medical College, Chicago, in 1875. Practiced his profession in Mechanicsburg, Illinois, until 1882, when he removed to Eldorado, Kansas, where he has built up a large and lucrative practice.

Dr. Fullinwider is a devoted member of the Methodist Episcopal church and for many years was a most successful superintendent of its Sunday School. He married Miss Clara Munsell, daughter of Charles W. C. Munsell, in 1876.

RICHARD H. BOSWORTH, CLASS OF 1875.

Richard H. Bosworth prepared for college in the academy of the Northwestern University; entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1871 and was graduated in 1875; entered the Reformed Episcopal church in 1875, and was stationed in Chicago. He graduated from the Garrett Biblical Institute in 1880. Pastor of the Reformed Episcopalian church at Newburgh, N. Y., 1885; Brooklyn, N. Y., 1887. In 1889 he accepted a position as assistant at Plymouth Congregational church, Brooklyn, N. Y. In 1893, president Brooklyn Chautauqua Union; in 1894, pastor Congregational church, Springfield, Mass.

## HARRY GRAY REEVES.

CLASS OF 1866.

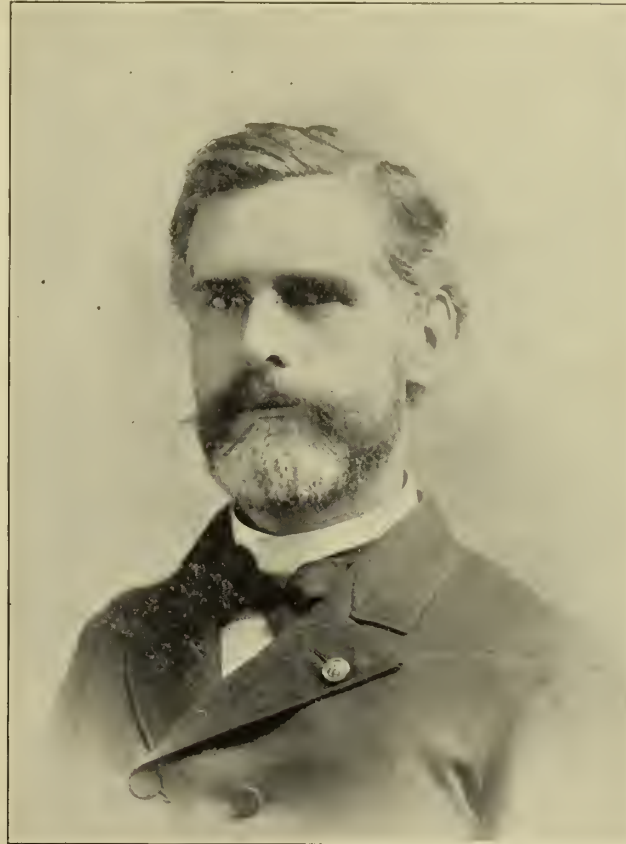
The portrait here given represents Colonel Harry G. Reeves, M. A., of Bloomington, a prominent citizen and a loyal son of the Wesleyan. Colonel Reeves is a member of the State Commission of Claims. He was raised on a farm in Old Town township, McLean county, Illinois, and entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in the fall of 1860; and together with many other students he served a term in the United States Army as a member of Company G, 63th Regiment, Illinois Volunteers. This company was made up entirely of college boys.

After his discharge from the army he taught school, completed his course in the university, and graduated with high honors in 1866.

December 25, 1867, he married Miss Harriet Niccells of Bloomington, and they have one daughter.

He studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1867. He has been an alderman, private secretary to ex-Governor Fifer, judge advocate of the Second brigade, Illinois National Guard, and at present occupies the honorable and responsible posi-

tion of a member of Illinois State Claims Commission, having



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received this office by the appointment of Governor Altgeld.

For many years Colonel Reeves was the secretary and attorney of the board of trustees of the Illinois Wesleyan, and he has rendered his *alma mater* valuable service. He has also been president of the Alumni Association, and has always taken an active personal interest in the affairs of the university.

Colonel Reeves is now actively engaged in the practice of law, and with his wife and daughter resides in a delightful home on North Main Street. The Reeves residence is celebrated for its hospitality, and there all the friends of the Wesleyan always receive a most cordial welcome.

This distinguished alumnus enjoys a wide and extensive acquaintance throughout the State, and hundreds of young men and women are willing witnesses to his good advice and cheerfully testify to his kindness and his helpfulness.

His residence within a stone's throw of the university campus since the time of his graduation and his relation as secretary of the board of trustees have given him a fund of information concerning the inner life of the university and of the graduates which is valuable and interesting.



## GEORGE E. SCRIMGER, CLASS OF 1874.

Rev. George E. Scrimger B. A., M. A., B. D., D. D., is a native of McLean county, Illinois, having been born at Selma in 1849. The days of his youth were spent on the farm, where habits of sobriety, industry, honesty, and frugality were formed. His elementary education

was gained in the public schools and in the preparatory school of the Illinois Wesleyan University, which he entered in 1867. Having prepared for college he entered upon the collegiate work with the zeal of a young man called to a great work. No student was ever more industrious, painstaking, and conscientious. Yet in his Sophomore year he manifested decided literary talent, and was a favorite ever after as an essayist and orator. After graduating in 1874, he was employed as instructor in mathematics, which position he filled most satisfactorily until he entered upon his life work, the ministry of the gospel.

At the time Mr. Scrimger entered college it was his ambition to enter

the profession of law and give himself to the political interests of his country. He was an ardent student and admirer of the chief men of colonial and revolutionary history, and, until nearly through college, his dearest were selected from this class; but God had destined him to serve his country more directly through its moral, social, and religious forces.



GEORGE E. SCRIMGER

He answered that call and entered upon the ministry in the Illinois Conference in 1875. Afterwards he entered Drew Theological Seminary and completed its full course, when he returned to his conference and rapidly rose to distinction in the ministry, filling pulpits at Springfield, Quincy, Decatur, and is now serving his third year as presiding elder of the Danville district.

As a student, he is still careful and painstaking; as a scholar, he is accurate and broad; as a minister, he is deeply spiritual, prepares his sermons carefully and delivers them with unction as a veritable man of God; as a presiding officer, he is exceedingly conscientious and truly judicious; socially, he is most courteous, gentlemanly, and refined; as a citizen, he is public spirited and thoroughly loyal to the distinctively American institutions, while as a man he is the soul of honor, possesses "truth in the inward parts," and detests shams. His wife is a woman of culture and very active in promoting the charitable work of the church.

## CHARLES H. LONG, CLASS OF 1873.

Charles H. Long, B. S., M. D., was born near La Salle, Illinois, in 1850. His paternal grandfather was a Methodist itinerant and his father and mother were devoted members of the Methodist Episcopal church. Charles, at the early age of thirteen, was elected secretary of the Sunday School of the First Methodist church, La Salle, Illinois, which society was organized and whose building was erected by the father and grandfather of the subject of this sketch. From that early age to the present he has been an enthusiastic, consistent, and efficient worker in the Church and Sunday School.

He entered the academic department of Wheaton College, at the age of fifteen, where he spent two years. In 1867 he entered the Illinois Wesleyan University and was graduated in 1873, having taught several terms in the meantime to gain funds for the completion of his



college course. He was the president of his class organization. From 1873 to 1875 he was superintendent of the public schools at Mackinaw and Stanford, during which time he began the study of medicine. In



CHARLES H. LONG.

1875 he entered the Hahnemann Medical College of Chicago, where he took the degree of M.D., in the class of 1878.

Dr. Long located at Pontiac, Illinois, where he has built up for himself a large and lucrative practice of medicine and surgery, and made for himself an enviable record as citizen, gentleman, and Christian. He is modest, quiet, and unassuming, yet a most potent factor in almost every enterprise in the city of Pontiac which is calculated to do good unto his fellow men.

Dr. Long has been twice married: first to Miss Martha Viemont, of Mackinaw, Illinois, unto whom were born three children the second, in 1885, to Miss Lida

Sterry, of Pontiac, Illinois, who has proved to be a true mother to his motherless children as well as unto Christopher Sterry Long, born in 1891. As might be expected from the character of Dr. Long, his home is a model Christian home.

Dr. Long was elected by the Central Illinois conference as lay delegate to the General Conference, which will meet in Cleveland, May 1896.

## JOHN E. SCOTT, CLASS OF 1873.

Hon. John E. Scott, B. S., M. S., was born in St. Clair county, Illinois, in 1851. He studied at McKendree College, one year, and entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1873; having read law with McNulta, Aldrich and Kerrick, Bloomington, Ills., he removed to Indianapolis, Indiana, and was admitted to the bar in the fall of that year. In 1875 he formed a law partnership with Wm. F. Graves, of 1869, which terminated a year later. In 1881 he formed a partnership with A. P. Stanton, which continued until dissolved in August, 1894.



JOHN E. SCOTT.

Mr. Scott received the Republican nomination for Judge of the Superior Court of Marion county in 1890, and was defeated with the remainder of the ticket of that year. On October 20, 1893, he was made City Attorney, a position which, under the present city charter, is more important and its duties more arduous than ever before. Mr. Scott is a cousin of ex-Chief Justice John M. Scott, of this city, and possesses

many of the characteristics of this deserving gentleman. He is a good lawyer of a hard working, careful, unobtrusive type. Personally he is a kindly, courteous, suave gentleman, and well merits the recognition gained and the reputation established in the State of Indiana. We predict that greater honors await our already distinguished classmate.

## ORLANDO W. ALDRICH, CLASS OF 1869.

The subject of this sketch, Orlando W. Aldrich, B. A., M. A., Ph. D., D. C. L., LL. D., is one of the most scholarly men among those whose names honor the record of the alumni. In 1866, having been licensed to preach, he joined the Central Illinois Conference, but pur-



ORLANDO W. ALDRICH.

sued his studies and graduated with the class of 1869. It was at this time he became much interested in legal studies and the ministry was soon abandoned. From 1876 to 1871 he was a member of the faculty of the law school of the university, his accurate and extensive legal learning, studious habits and excellency of character eminently fitting him for the position. During a part of this term also he assisted in the department of philosophy, in which study he was a devout and enthusiastic student. He has been a frequent contributor to the press, and has had some experience as an editor, the American

edition of "Anson on Contracts" having been edited by him, also the articles on Elections in the American and English Encyclopedia of Law are his productions. Since 1892 he has been professor of law in the Ohio State University.

## MARION V. CRUMBAKER, CLASS OF 1874.

In the State that has produced so many presidents, jurists, and Methodist preachers, Ohio, was born Marion Victor Crumbaker, B. A., M. A., D. D., Feb. 20, 1847, and like many others who have afterwards come into public life and notice, spent his early life on a farm. He

came to McLean county, Illinois, in 1864, and soon after enlisted in the 152nd Illinois Volunteer Infantry, spending seven months in his country's service. He was emphatically one of the "Boys in Blue," and gained the reputation of being a gallant soldier.



MARION V. CRUMBAKER.

In 1868 he was soundly converted to God and joined the Methodist Episcopal church, and in 1869 he entered the Illinois Wesleyan University, where he was known as a painstaking student. His university life was characterized by thoroughness. In the year of his graduation he entered the Central Illinois conference and spent eighteen years in efficient pastoral work, when he was promoted to the position of presiding

elder of the Macomb district in which is his present field of labor. He was married to Miss Eliza O. Fellingham, Oct. 12, 1880, and has found in her a noble companion in his life work. As a preacher, Mr. Crumbaker is logical, earnest, faithful; as an administrator he is careful, kind, and unprejudiced. He is delegate elect to the General Conference.

## WILLIAM ALBERT SMITH, CLASS OF 1875.

Rev. William Albert Smith, B. A., M. A., was born in Hancock county, Ohio, December 17, 1848. When he was but a child, his father emigrated to Illinois, at first engaging in merchandising, in Clinton, and

afterwards settling on a farm, where he died in 1868. William A. was therefore, practically, raised on a farm, and had only the meager advantages of a few months' school each year in the country. In February, 1866, he was converted, and united with the Methodist Episcopal church, under the labors of Rev. James C. Rucker. He was soon impressed that the ministry was to be his life work, and with this conviction entered the preparatory department of the Illinois Wesleyan University, in September, 1867. Being without means, and the support of a widowed mother, and several younger brothers and sisters largely dependent upon him, his studies



WILLIAM ALBERT SMITH.

were frequently interrupted, and, at times he almost despaired of being able to complete a college course. But he persisted, in the face of appalling discouragements, and graduated with honor in June, 1875.

He remained on the farm with his mother one year, rendering her valuable assistance and preaching as a supply on the Clinton Circuit.

In September, 1876, he was received on trial in the Illinois Annual Conference and appointed to Illiopolis, where he served the full pastoral term of three years and was very successful and greatly beloved by his people. During this pastorate, in September, 1877, he was married to Miss Julia Milmine, who has shared the enthusiasm and devotion of her husband to his high calling, and has contributed in no small degree to his success. They have two interesting daughters, Lela, aged sixteen, and Mildred, aged seven.

Carlinville was Mr. Smith's next appointment, a more responsible position, which he occupied with great satisfaction to his congregation for three years, and was then transferred to First Church, Danville, in September, 1885. Here he spent four laborious and successful years. Under his inspiring leadership the present splendid church edifice was erected at a cost of forty-five thousand dollars, and the membership and prestige of the congregation greatly increased. At the conference of September, 1889, he was appointed pastor of Grace Church, Bloomington, where he had his usual success in all departments of church work. During his four years in this pulpit the membership was about doubled, and the activity of the church in benevolent and philanthropic work greatly extended. In September, 1893, he was appointed to his present charge, Centenary, Jacksonville, where his success has been phenomenal. Following an exceptionally strong pastor, the congregations have not only kept up, but the church has been in an almost continuous revival, over two hundred new members being added this year.

Measured by results, Mr. Smith must be regarded as a successful minister, and has fairly earned the high position he occupies in the church, and the esteem in which he is held by the multitudes who have been edified by his labors.

As he is yet in his prime, being but forty-eight years of age, it is reasonable to hope that his highest period of usefulness is before him.



## THOMAS I. COULTAS, CLASS OF 1875.

Rev. Thomas I. Coultas, B. A., M. A., D. D., was born of English parentage in Scott county, Illinois, in 1853. He was left fatherless when six years of age; attended country schools until fourteen years old, when he entered the Winchester high school and completed its course in two years. When sixteen he was licensed to preach and was for many years known as the boy preacher. In 1869 he was admitted to the Illinois Conference and for two years performed the work of an

itinerant minister. He entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in the fall of 1871, and was graduated in June, 1875. He represented the university in the State and Inter-State oratorical contests, taking the first prize in both. He returned to the pastorate in the Illinois Conference and immediately took high rank as a minister and served its best charges at Quincy, Danville and Decatur. In 1889 he was transferred to the Centenary Church, Terre Haute, Indiana, where he was most successful in the administration of the affairs of that great church of nearly fifteen hundred members. His next appointment was to the Roberts Park Church of the city of Indianapolis, where he is serving



THOMAS I. COULTAS.

with great acceptability. In the summer of 1894 he traveled in Europe. Dr. Coultas is a natural orator, a logical thinker, a sympathetic pastor,

an affable courteous gentleman, and a deeply spiritual Christian.

His pulpit efforts manifest careful preparation as to thought and form; sometimes very pathetic, rarely witty, while in delivery he is easy, natural, graceful and vigorous. He is clear and concise in style, and always impresses the hearer with his own sincerity and earnestness.

In the fall of 1879 he married Miss Angie Morrison, a student of the university, who from the maternal side is a relative of Clinton W. Sears, whose connection with the university was so honorable and of pleasant recollection to those who knew him. Unto this union three children have been born.

## FRANK CUMMING, CLASS OF 1875.

Rev. Frank Cumming, B. A., M. A., Ph. D., is serving his first term as trustee of the university, but has many times represented his conference as visitor. An alumnus of the institution of the class of 1875, he united with the Central Illinois conference and has achieved the distinction of being one of its ablest preachers. He has visited Europe, giving special study to historic Methodism in England and Ireland.

While in college he was an earnest student, a prominent member of the Belles Lettres literary society and contributed largely toward making the society a most valuable interest to students of the university, not only by his literary zeal, but also by his rare musical talent. No student of the university from 1870 to 1875 has forgotten the leader of the Belles Lettres glee club. Mr. Cumming has frequently contributed of his means, and in 1894 was chiefly instrumental in securing a select library for the departments of Greek and Latin.

He was elected trustee in 1873, and is energetic, conservatively progressive, and truly loyal, watching every interest of the university and losing no opportunity to extend its influence and render it more potent, especially in the bounds of the Central Illinois conference.



## SAMUEL VAN PELT.

CLASS OF 1875.

Rev. Samuel Van Pelt, B. A., M. A., D. D., is now serving his second term as trustee of the Illinois Wesleyan University, and has for many years represented his conference as visitor to the institution. He is the son of a Methodist minister, and entered the preparatory school of the Illinois Wesleyan University from Normal and graduated from the college in the classical course in 1875. Afterwards he studied in the School of Theology at Boston, Mass., and then united with the Central Illinois Conference, in which for several years he has been a most prominent member. In 1890, he was elected president of the Grand Prairie Seminary, which position he still holds. It is no disparagement to any who have preceded him to say that the Seminary has never been so popular, so efficient, and so commanding in its influence as under his administration.

In personal appearance he is dignified and exceedingly pleasant in manner. Early in his college course he manifested fine oratorical ability, and gave special attention to voice culture, in which he excelled, under that great teacher of elocution, S. S. Hamill. Without destroying his own individuality, he

acquired the best forms of expression exhibited by his



SAMUEL VAN PELT.

teacher, and excels in teaching the art and science of human speech. As a trustee, he guards carefully the interest and honor of the university. He is a delegate elect to the next General Conference, having received a very large majority vote of his Conference. He has a brother, Dr. John R., of Denver University, and a sister, Mrs. Mary L. Dupuy, of the class of 1880, who are also numbered among our graduates.

THOMAS STERLING, CLASS OF 1875.

Thomas M. Sterling was born in 1851 in Fairfield county, Ohio, and came with his father, Charles S. Sterling, to McLean county, Illinois, in 1854, where he resided until he completed his collegiate course of study. He had all the advantages of a young man raised on a farm in McLean county, and at the age of eighteen entered the Illinois Wesleyan preparatory school. Having completed its course of study, he was admitted to the college, from which he was graduated in 1875, having taught school, however, more or less during this time. In 1876-7, he was principal of the school at Bement, Illinois. Having studied law in the office of Hay, Greene and Littler, of Springfield, he was admitted to the bar in June, 1878, and immediately began the practice of law in Spring-

field Illinois, where he remained for four years, during which time he served as State's attorney for one term. In 1882, he moved to Spink county, Dakota (now S. Dakota), where he has since resided, pursuing his chosen profession, and has gained prominence as a lawyer and in



THOMAS STERLING.

politics. He was a member of the State constitutional convention of Dakota in 1883, and again of the constitutional convention of S. Dakota in 1889, and a member of the first State Senate in 1889. He was chairman of the Judiciary Committee of the convention of 1889, and occupied the same position in the first State Senate; hence he has had much to do with both the formation and interpretation of the constitution and laws of the new State. He held the office of district attorney of Spink county for one term, and has been identified more or less with educational matters all his life. He exerted his influence in supporting the excellent school system of his State, and for years has been

prominent in the management of the Red Field College, at Redfield, where he lives.

In 1877, he was married to Miss Anna Dunn, who died in 1881, leaving one child, Cloyd D. In 1882, Mr. Sterling was married to Miss Emma L. Thayer, of Mitchell, S. Dakota.

Mr. Sterling was a painstaking, industrious student, who was never

satisfied until he knew as much about his subjects, at least, as any one of the class; hence his scholarship is not only extensive, but accurate. He was a young man of strong convictions, of good judgment, and of a lofty ambition, and it is no surprise to those who knew him in those days to learn that he has been so influential in founding the new State of South Dakota.

JAMES OLIVER WILSON, CLASS OF 1876.

Rev. James Oliver Wilson, B. A., B. D., M. A., D. D., pastor of Simpson Methodist Episcopal church, Brooklyn, New York, was born in 1849 at Manchester, Illinois. He prepared for college in the Northwestern University preparatory school, and entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1872, from which he was graduated in 1876. Early in his college course he manifested talent as an elocutionist, and under the superior instruction of Prof. S. S. Hamill, at that time Professor of Elocution in the university, he made rapid development, and in 1873, Prof. Hamill having resigned, was elected instructor in elocution, which position he retained until he was graduated in 1876. In the fall of 1876, he entered Drew Theological Seminary, and was elected professor of elocution and oratory, which position he held during his Seminary course. After receiving his degree from Drew, he entered the ministry and joined the Philadelphia Conference, in which he soon rose to prominence as a pulpit orator and successful pastor. His record in that Conference, in the city of Philadelphia, is an honorable one. In 1891, he was transferred to the Simpson Methodist Episcopal church in Brooklyn, New York.

Dr. Wilson did not rest on his past record, though successful and brilliant, but here he has been in labors abundant, and has met with phenomenal success as a church financier, and has added still greater fame to his ability and power as a preacher of the Word.



JAMES OLIVER WILSON.

Personally, another has correctly described him : " Blessed with an attractive presence, has fascinating manners, a strong, full voice, a refined and cultivated imagination, splendid descriptive powers, a style bright and sparkling, and a pathos and strength seldom possessed \* \*

\* \* He is master of sarcasm, \* \* is not less known on the lecture platform, where his keen sense of humor, his dramatic ability, his word painting and thrilling eloquence have won for him an enviable reputation."



ROBERT M'CAY.

ROBERT M'CAY, CLASS OF 1877.

Robert McCay, A. B., A. M., superintendent schools Blue Island, Illinois, is a native of Illinois, and attended the public schools until sufficiently advanced to enter the preparatory school of the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1868. Here he prepared for college and was graduated in the classical course in 1877. He was for six years superintendent of schools at Washington, Illinois. In 1882-83 he was superintendent of schools at Fairbury. Having established a reputation as a teacher and disciplinarian by his brilliant success at Washington, in 1883 he was elected principal of the preparatory school of the Illinois Wesleyan University, and professor

of elocution. Here he manifested the characteristics of a born teacher and met with the success his former record prophesied.

His ability as a teacher had brought him into such eminence that flattering offers were soon made him and called him away from the Wesleyan. From 1885 to 1889, he was principal of the high school at Elgin, Illinois. During all these years he was in great demand as a teacher in the best institutes of the counties of his state, being especially skillful in this kind of work. In 1889, he accepted a position as superintendent of city schools at Burlington, Iowa, where he remained for three years, annually advancing the interests of the schools of the city. This position he resigned to accept the superintendency of the schools of Blue Island, Illinois, where he sustained himself as one of the most efficient and influential public school men of the state of Illinois.

He is also editor of the *Inter-State School Review*. As a student, Mr. McCay was patient enough to be accurate and thorough. He spared no time nor pains nor energy in learning something of almost everything and everything of something. He is suave in manner and resolute in deed, and in every way an honor to his Alma Mater.

WILLIAM EDDY BARNES, CLASS OF 1872.

In June, 1872, the commencement exercises were held for the first time in Amie Chapel. They were rendered still more interesting from the circumstance that Francis E. Munsell, the son of President Munsell, and William Eddy Barnes, son of Dr. R. M. Barnes, at that time pastor of the First Church, were graduated.

Mr. Barnes had been well prepared for college in the high schools and was a brilliant student, especially in literature, in which he excelled. After graduation he entered the field of journalism at Decatur, Illinois, and after a short time, he was elected assistant editor of the *Central Christian Advocate*, which was so ably edited under the inspiration and direction of Benjamin St. James Fry. He remained with the *Advocate* but a few years, when he became manager and



editor of the "Age of Steel," St. Louis, Missouri, to which publication



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he continues to give his energies.

In personal appearance, Mr. Barnes is tall and prepossessing, bright and pleasing in conversation, and always perfectly self-possessed.

Soon after graduation he married Miss Roe, a beautiful and womanly young woman, who had been brought up in the family of Edwin C. Hyde and who will be favorably remembered by very many graduates.

She was permitted to grace and make happy an earthly home but a

few years, having been cut down in the bloom of womanhood.

CHARLES W. SUPER, CLASS OF 1874. GRADUATE DEPARTMENT.

Charles W. Super, B. A., M. A., Ph. D., President of the Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, was born in Pottsville, Pennsylvania, 1842, of American-German parentage. German was his first language. In youth he had better opportunities than were afforded most boys of his day, and tradition points to a wise use of those opportunities.

He studied in the private schools of his town and prepared for col-

lege at the Union Seminary, New Berlin, Pennsylvania. He entered the Sophomore class on examination at Dickinson College in 1863 and was graduated in 1866. While compelled to earn money for his own education, he prosecuted his study with untiring zeal, and both before and after entering college devoted much attention to subjects not in the collegiate course, such as Hebrew, Spanish, stenography, and music. He was an omnivorous reader, and paid special attention to rhetoric and English literature. He taught in public and private schools in Pennsylvania, Ohio and Delaware. He spent nearly two years in study in Germany, making a specialty of Greek and Latin, paying attention, more or less, to Hebrew, Arabic, Sanskrit and Old German. In 1872 he taught in Cincinnati Wesleyan College, where he remained until 1878, when he began the study of law, which he pursued during the years of 1878 and 1879, when he was elected to the professorship of Greek in the Ohio University; but previous to this time he had begun the post-graduate study in the Illinois Wesleyan University, from which he earned his degree of Ph. D. in 1884. In 1882 he traveled again in Europe for study. In 1883 he was made acting president of the Ohio University, and was elected president in 1884.

In this office, Dr. Super has justly earned the distinction of being a thorough scholar and one of the foremost educators of our country.

He has written extensively for the best periodicals and magazines, and has published several monographs: A translation of Weil's Order of Words, and the History of the German Language. He has prepared an annotated edition of Herodotus on the Antiquities of Egypt, which has not been published. He also aided in preparing an ancient history, having read the German and French authorities. In June, 1894, the degree of LL. D. was conferred upon him by Dickinson College.

President Super is remembered as one of the first men who took his examination for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy at this university.

## CALVIN RAYBURN, CLASS OF 1876.

In the Buckeye State in 1847, there was born of a good Presbyterian family Calvin Rayburn, who has taken successively the degrees of B. S., M. S., and LL. B. from the university, and who is now the efficient secretary of its board of trustees. Early in Calvin's life his parents came to Illinois and settled near Towanda, McLean county, and began the education of the son under a private teacher. Later he was placed in the Bloomington public school, and in 1868 he entered the Illinois Wesleyan University, from which he was graduated in 1876.



CALVIN RAYBURN.

During his college course Mr. Rayburn was a diligent and earnest student, and, like few others, took an interest not only in college life and affairs, but also in the actual world outside the university. He was an ardent and able member of the old Belles Lettres literary society. After graduation he taught school for three years, two as principal of the high school at Shelbyville, and one as principal at Hillsboro, Illinois. His heart, however, had been fixed on the legal profession, and under the direction of Rowell and Hamilton he entered the law department of the university, from which he received the degree of LL. B. Having been

admitted to the bar, he began the practice of law in the city of his education, where he has since resided and received a fair share of the practice in this honorable profession.

Since June, 1889, he was held the responsible position of secretary of the board of trustees. To the duties of this office he has brought accurate and careful business methods and loyal devotion to his *alma mater*. The responsibilities of the office are great and onerous, but Mr. Rayburn is fully equal to the one, and discharges the other with precision, practically without compensation.

## GEORGE L. HUTCHIN, CLASS OF 1876.

Of the class of 1876 more than one have been successful above the average graduate, and some have become eminent in their professions, notably Wilson, Evans, Marquis, Kuhl, and not the least among them, George L. Hutchin, B. S., the editor and proprietor of the Sunday Eye. He is a native of Illinois, and entered the preparatory school of the university from Kenney and carefully prepared for college, sparing neither time nor pains, thus avoiding the greatest difficulties in the way of mastering the college studies by thorough and adequate preparation. He seems then to have acted upon the principle, which is now characteristic of him



GEORGE L. HUTCHIN.

—the oversight of which is often fatal notwithstanding great energy and

industry—that thorough preparation is the work already half completed. He graduated with honor in 1876.

While in college he took a hand often in college politics and had a sharp eye for what was going on in the college world; he also showed a predilection for journalism, which was rapidly developed after his graduation. In 1880 he became editor and proprietor of the *Sunday Eye*, an illustrated weekly paper of wide circulation, which was founded by Holland R. Persinger in 1878. Mr. Hutchin is a man of good presence, has a keen appreciation of wit, wields a facile and trenchant pen, and is one of the most active members of the Alumni Association.

#### R. B. WELCH, CLASS OF 1877.

Hon. R. B. Welch, the subject of this sketch, was born in De Kalb county, Indiana, in 1850. In 1864 he removed with his parents to Piatt county, Illinois. Until seventeen years old he had only such educational advantages as the country school of that time afforded. In the fall of 1867 he entered an academy near Farmer City, Illinois, taught by P. V. C. Pool. In the spring of 1870 he entered the Illinois Wesleyan University. He was twice president of the Belles Lettres Society, and in 1876 represented the university at the inter-collegiate contest at Evanston. In 1871, he and Professor Potter published a work on the Word Method of Addition which reached a considerable sale. He was principal of schools of Abingdon, Illinois, one year, and held the same position at Washington, Illinois, for two years, re-entering the university in the fall of 1875 and graduating with the class of 1877. He held the position of superintendent of schools at Pontiac, Illinois, from 1877 to 1879, during which time he read the course of law as prescribed by the university. In the spring of 1879 he was elected president of the State Normal School of Kansas. Under his wise management the school began a growth which has continued until it is one

of the largest State normal schools in the United States. The institution still retains the general characteristics given it at its re-organization under Mr. Welch. In 1882 he resigned the presidency and removed to Topeka, where he is still practicing his profession. At that time the liquor power was in full control in Topeka, and although the prohibitory law was enacted in 1881, some seventy saloons were in full operation and had the moral support of the majority of the people. A fight was soon organized and Mr. Welch entered into it with his usual vigor, as a deputy county attorney. An effort was made to drive him from the city,

and on the night of August 19, 1882, the saloon element hired miscreants to go to his stable and trim his horse's tail and mane and cut up his harness and family carriage. This act sealed the doom of the liquor element of Topeka. Mr. Welch called a mass meeting in the city park and caused the horse, harness and carriage to be exhibited to thousands of people and made a bold, considerate speech which made a deep impression upon public sentiment. Mr. Welch spent two years and all he had and all he could borrow fighting the saloon power until they finally closed in January, 1885. He then resumed the general law practice and in a few years was in comfortable circumstances. In 1888 he was elected



R. B. WELCH.

county attorney of Shawnee county and served two terms. In 1890,



after the decision of *Liesy vs. Hardin*, 135 U. S., 100, numerous original package houses for the sale of intoxicants were opened. Mr. Welch, with Hon. L. B. Kellogg, attorney general for Kansas, made the fight against the liquor invasion. The United States circuit court for the district of Kansas decided all cases against the State authorities and at one time there were twenty-one suits pending against Mr. Welch as county attorney and John M. Wilkerson as sheriff of Shawnee county, enjoining them from further proceedings against the original package men and suing them for damages aggregating over one hundred thousand dollars. *In re Raher*, 149 U. S., 545, Mr. Welch prosecuted an *habeas corpus* case to the United States supreme court, winning a victory that settled the rights of the State authorities under the Wilson bill for all time. During the legislative trouble in 1893 the volunteer force of sergeants-at-arms and the legislature joined in requesting him to take command of the forces resisting the Populist governor's attempt to coerce the house of representatives with the State militia. Mr. Welch accepted and held command until the Populists surrendered and submitted the differences to the courts. The legislature passed very complimentary resolutions and had them engrossed and framed and presented them to Mr. Welch. August 1, 1894, he was elected to his eighth term as president of the board of education of the city of Topeka.

He is a strong athletic man of untiring industry. As an advocate he stands at the very front rank. He was elected by the Kansas State Bar Association as one of their representatives to the American Bar Association, which met at Saratoga, New York, August 22-24, 1894.

J. H. MONTGOMERY, CLASS OF 1888, GRADUATE DEPARTMENT.

J. H. Montgomery, B. A., M. A., Ph. D., professor of physics and chemistry in Allegheny College, received his Doctor's degree in 1888. He has taught in Allegheny College, his *alma mater*, since his graduation.

JOSEPH H. KETRON, CLASS OF 1876.

Joseph H. Ketron, B. A., M. A., completed his studies in the university in June, 1876, and received the degree of Bachelor of Arts, having taken the full classical course; he took the Master's degree in 1879. Mr. Ketron has devoted his life to the work of Christian education. For some time he was professor of mathematics in the Holston Seminary, New Market, Tennessee, but was called to the presidency of Kingsley Seminary, Bloomington, Tennessee, at the time of its organization in 1877. This position he fills with marked ability both as an executive officer and teacher. The very fact of holding the office of president of such a school for eighteen years in these times of unrest and reformation of methods in the most of schools is sufficient evidence of



JOSEPH H. KETRON.

real worth as an educator and strength of character personally.

He was honored by the members of the Holston lay electoral conference by an election to the General Conference of 1884. He proved an intelligent and efficient member of that great law-making body, serving on the Missionary, Temporal Economy, and Church Extension Committees. He is unobtrusive and yet a man of convictions as opposed to opinions and is resolute in deed; thoroughly conscientious as an official and teacher, never forgetting his relation as an individual in society.



## MARQUIS D. HORNBECK, CLASS OF 1877.

Rev. Marquis D. Hornbeck, A. B., A. M., Ph. D., was born in Pickaway county, Ohio, in 1849, and moved with his parents to Shelby county, Illinois, in 1853, and there upon a farm were laid the foundations for a robust physical manhood.



MARQUIS D. HORNBECK.

He entered the preparatory school of the Illinois Wesleyan University in January, 1871, and was graduated from the college in June, 1877, having taken the full classical course. Having been licensed to preach, he served as a student pastor near Heyworth and Warrensburg during this period. He united with the Illinois Annual Conference in the fall of 1877, and served as pastor in charge at Griggs Chapel until in the fall of 1881, when he entered the Boston School of Theology, from which he received the degree of S. T. B. in 1884. Upon his return from Boston he was elected principal of the Danville Seminary, which at that time was an affiliated school

of the university. In 1887 he was called from the principalship of the Seminary to the presidency of Chaddock College, Quincy, Illinois, which position he occupied until 1890, when he returned to the pastorate.

He has served most acceptably the churches of Winchester and Urbana in the Illinois Conference, Cannon City, Colorado Conference, and is now the efficient pastor of the Broadway church in Pueblo, Col.

While in the educational work he gained some reputation as an educator and scholar. He read a paper before the college section of the National Educational Association at St. Paul, Minn., in 1890, subject, "The Relation of the College to the Morals of the Students." He has also read papers from time to time before the Central Teachers' Association of Illinois, and other educational bodies.

Upon examination in Metaphysics and Theism, he received, in June, 1894, the Ph. D. degree from the University of Denver. His name appears in the catalogue of the Illiff School of Theology as lecturer on Missions.

Mr. Hornbeck married Miss Lydia M. Kuhl, of Beardstown, Illinois, a graduate of the Wesleyan, an instructor in Latin and German at the Illinois Female College, September 1st, 1881, who has contributed largely to the success of her husband.

## SAMUEL MILLER WARE, CLASS OF 1879.

Rev. Samuel Miller Ware, A. B., A. M., D. D., a nephew of Justice Samuel F. Miller, of the United States Supreme Court, entered the university from the public schools of Towanda, Illinois, in 1874, having taught during the years 1872-3 in the public schools of the county, and graduated from the classical course in 1879. During his college career Mr. Ware manifested a high order of intellectual ability, and represented his class as orator; 1879 to 1881 he was principal of the high school at Towanda, Illinois, where he made for himself a fine record as a teacher as well as a scholar. In 1881 he entered the Western Theological Seminary at Allegheny, Pennsylvania, completing his theological studies in the McCormick Theological Seminary, at Chicago, in 1884. At this time he was ordained and installed pastor of the Ferguson Presbyterian church in a suburb of St. Louis, where he was most successful until June, 1887, when his character and abilities were recognized

by the First Presbyterian Church, Clinton, Missouri. where he began a most remarkable pastorate of three years, which he resigned to accept a call to the Second Presbyterian church, Omaha, Nebraska, where he began his labors July 1st, 1890. Here Mr. Ware continues to mani-



SAMUEL MILLER WARE.

fest those admirable traits of character in the pulpit and pastorate which make him one of the strongest men in the pulpit of Omaha and in the Presbyterian church of the West. He was quite influential in organizing the Presbyterian Theological Seminary of Omaha in 1891, and is now chairman of its finance committee; he is also a member of the Board of Trustees of the University of Omaha, a member of its executive committee and secretary of the board.

July 20, 1880, he was married to Miss Blazer, of Macomb, Illinois, to whom have been born six children.

Mr. Ware has been interested in educational and charitable and religious work since the time of his graduation, and is one of those broad minded, liberal hearted, public spirited citizens desired in every community. As a preacher, he is both intelligent and spiritual; as a pastor, kind, sympathetic and successful. He exerts a controlling influence in affairs local, and is looked upon as one of the coming leaders in the Presbyterian church, of which he is a loyal son.

## JOSEPH F. M'NAUGHT, CLASS OF 1877.

Joseph F. McNaught, B. S., M. S., was born of that excellent ancestry, Scotch-Irish, near Lexington, McLean county, Illinois, in 1855. At the age of eighteen, having prepared for college in high school, he



JOSEPH F. M'NAUGHT.

entered the university as freshman and was graduated in 1877. He then entered the law school of the University of Michigan and completed its course of study. Having been admitted to practice at the bar, he went to Seattle, Washington and formed a partnership with an older brother, James, who also spent some years in the university and had preceded him to the Pacific coast, and at that time even commanded a fine practice. In 1881, E. P. Ferry, who at a later date became governor of the State, and John H. Mitchell, son of Senator Mitchell, joined the firm of McNaught Bros. Though the youngest member of the firm, Mr. McNaught contributed his full share to the immense busi-

ness done by them. Happy investments in real estate were made from his earnings, laying the foundations for wealth which required his entire time for development; consequently in 1888, he relinquished in part his legal practice for this purpose. He has evinced rare ability as an organizer and his influence has been a potent factor in the development of the resources of the Sound. See these facts and more in The History of Seattle.

## RICHARD W. CREWS, CLASS OF 1879.

Rev. Richard W. Crews, B. A., M. A., pastor of the First Methodist Church, Geneseo, Illinois, was born in England; prepared for college in the preparatory school of the Northwestern University; studied also in Garrett Biblical Institute; entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1876, and was graduated in 1879. He was admitted to the Central Illinois Conference on trial in 1876, since which time he has maintained the character of a faithful Christian minister, and has served some of the best charges of his conference.



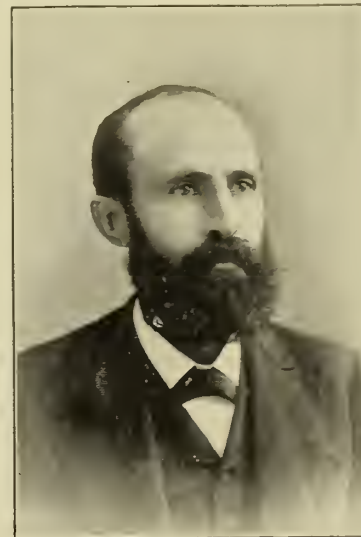
RICHARD W. CREWS.

For many years he has been a member of the joint board of trustees of the Illinois Wesleyan University, and has displayed the qualities of a man who understands the needs of Christian education, and wisely seeks to promote the best interests of the college projected by his own conference. Mr. Crews is a tireless student, and has more than ordinary powers and acquisition. As a

preacher, he is vigorous in thought and expression, and seeks to educate and build up his people in all useful knowledge. As a pastor, he is systematic, discreet and faithful. He is recognized as one of the strongest men in the Central Illinois Conference, and a loyal son of his *alma mater* who never fails to improve an opportunity to turn the attention of the young people of his charges to her halls.

## JOHN A. MOTTER, CLASS OF 1878.

John A. Motter was three years old when his parents came from Indiana to Bloomington in 1853. In 1871 he was married to Miss Anna E. Brown, of Normal, Illinois, and settled upon a farm in Kansas. He entered the Wesleyan in 1874, and graduated with the degree of B. S. in 1878. Immediately after graduation he joined the Kansas Conference, and served charges at Valley Falls, Manhattan and Holton, when he was appointed to Leavenworth (now Kansas City) District as presiding elder. After remaining four and one-half years in the eldership he was appointed to Baldwin church. This gave his three children the advantages of Baker University. Two are now classical graduates and the third is now a freshman. After three and one-half years Baldwin was transferred from the Kansas Conference to the South Kansas Conference, and Mr. Motter was made presiding elder of Atchison District, and is now in his third year. He was elected by the Kansas Conference a trustee of Baker University and has been twice re-elected and is now in his third year as treasurer of the board. He was the first president of the Methodist Preachers' Association of Missouri and Kansas. With an invincible will and a lofty purpose, and with a heart open to impressions from above, he is now in the midst of a successful career.



JOHN A. MOTTER.



MARGARET A. SUDDUTH.



## MARGARET A. SUDDUTH.

CLASS OF 1880.

Since that day, 1870, which marks an epoch in the administration of the affairs of the Illinois Wesleyan University—the admission of young women to all the advantages offered young men—many bright and intelligent women have left the university halls to enter the lists in contention for mastery in the highest things. Perhaps few, if any, have accomplished more or wield a wider and more potent influence for good than Margaret A. Sudduth, B. S., of the class of 1880, now editor of the *Union Signal*. During the year 1880 she was assistant principal of the high school at Dwight, Illinois, and in the fall of 1881 she entered Wellesley College for a teacher's special course of literature and history, where she remained but a few months, being compelled to give up study on account of failing eyesight. Having traveled extensively with members of her family in the South and West, she went abroad in May, 1886, and spent fourteen months in Europe, traveling through England, Germany, Austria, Italy, and Switzerland, making special study of the German language.

Interested since before her graduation in the great cause of temperance, she spent considerable time while abroad in investigating the cause of drunkenness in the countries visited, and as a special correspondent to Bloomington papers and the *Union Signal* she displayed rare literary ability. In 1887, upon her return to America, she accepted the editorship of the *Oak and Ivy Leaf*, a publication projected by Mary Allen West.

"In 1890 her name first appeared as an editor of the *Union Signal*, to which her services had been rendered from the time of her arrival in Chicago, and in January, 1892, she assumed the managing editorship, where her fine journalistic ability and cultured mental and literary qual-

ifications are called into requisition.

"While in the full powers of mature young womanhood, our editor is characterized by the sound judgment and high sense of duty of an older head. Faithfulness and loyalty to the cause she has espoused, a disregard of self-interest, an innate strength and nobility of character are her chief traits. Her keen perception of the cogent phases of the temperance reform, as mirrored in the *Union Signal*, attests the wisdom of the choice which took from *Oak and Ivy Leaf* to enrich a larger portion of the great Christian temperance vineyard."

"Among the young women whom the higher education and wider openings for the so-called gentler sex have recently brought to the front, the subject of our sketch occupies a deservedly prominent position. It may safely be said that never was there a better fitting of person to profession than in the choice of Margaret A. Sudduth for her various responsible posts on the editorial staff of the *Woman's Temperance Publishing Association*; and in this work (always a labor of love to her) she has measured up to the full stature of her endowments and attainments."

The career of Miss Sudduth fully justifies these strong words of "J. A. S." in *Oak and Ivy Leaf*, July 1894.

## SAIN WELTY, CLASS OF 1881.

Sain Welty, B. A., M. A., LL. B., was born in Ohio, January 19, 1853, the year in which his father, Emanuel Welty, emigrated to Marshall county, Illinois, where young Welty had the freedom of the country from the time of his childhood until he entered the preparatory school of the university in 1872. Here he prepared for college with greater care than is the case with most students. The same carefulness and precision characterized his college course, to which he gave sufficient time for assimilation, having graduated in the classical course in 1881.

In the fall of 1881 he entered the law school at Yale, where he led

his class in scholarship and in recognition thereof was awarded the Marshal Jewel prize. Returning to Bloomington in 1883, he entered the law office of Fifer and Phillips, gentlemen well known to the graduates of sixty, but the next year he formed a partnership with John A. Sterling, also of the class of 1881, with whom he still practices law.



SAIN WELTY.

broad and practical. He is courteous and dignified in manner, and a devout Christian. He married Miss Gertrude Ball, of Marshall county, and of this union there is one child, Bessie, who is now in her fourth year in the preparatory school.

From 1889 to 1892 Mr. Welty was attorney for the city of Bloomington, the duties of which office were conscientiously discharged. Since 1887 he has represented the Alumni Association as a member of the board of trustees, serving most faithfully on the executive committee continuously, and for several years has been chairman of the standing committee on buildings and grounds.

As a lawyer, Mr. Welty belongs to that class of legal gentlemen whose manhood is greater than the profession and is never sacrificed for the sake of a temporary victory; his legal knowledge is exact,

#### JOHN A. STERLING, CLASS OF 1881.

John A. Sterling, B. A., M. A., was born on the first day of February, 1857, on a farm near Le Roy, in this county. He lived with his parents on the farm until he was twenty-one years of age and taught school for three years during the winter months. He graduated from the Illinois Wesleyan University in the class of 1881 in the classical course. In the summer of 1881 he was elected superintendent of the Lexington high school and occupied that position for two years.



JOHN A. STERLING.

He then came to Bloomington and entered the law office of Fifer and Phillips as a student of law. He was admitted by examination before the supreme court to practice law, in November, 1884, and immediately upon his admission formed a partnership with Mr. Sain Welty, with whom he is still connected in the practice of his profession. On May 20, 1886, he was married to Clara M. Irons. He has one child, Frank Hugo Sterling, four years of age.

During the Harrison and Cleveland campaign of 1888 he was chairman of the County Republican Central Committee, which place he occupied for two years. He was nominated by the Republicans of McLean county in 1892 for the office of State's Attorney, and was successfully elected to that office, which he still holds.

WILLIAM XAVIER SUDDUTH, CLASS OF 1888.

William Xavier Sudduth, of Chicago, son of the late Dr. James McCreary (M. D., Rush Medical College, 1855) and Amanda E. (Ashmore) Sudduth, grandson of Thomas Sudduth, was born January 18, 1853, at Springfield, Illinois. He prepared for college at the Illinois State Normal University, Normal, Illinois; was graduated Ph. B., from the Illinois Wesleyan University, Bloomington, and received therefrom the degree of A. M. in 1889; was a graduate student at the University of Minnesota, at Minneapolis, 1891; commenced the study of dentistry in 1879, at the Philadelphia Dental College, and after graduating D. D. S. therefrom in 1881, practiced the profession in Bloomington, Illinois, two years. He began to read medicine in 1883, under Drs. James B. Taylor and William L. Mittendorf, of New York City; attended one course of lectures each, at the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York City, and the Medico-Chirurgical College, of Philadelphia, receiving the degree of M. D. from the latter in 1885. During the three following years he spent a portion of his time as a graduate student in the universities of Berlin, Heidelberg, and Vienna. From 1884 to 1890 he was director of the physiological and pathological laboratories of the Medico-Chirurgical College



WILLIAM XAVIER SUDDUTH.

of Philadelphia, and lecturer on clinical microscopy and genito-urinary diseases, with several leaves of absence during the time for post-graduate study abroad and lecture courses in the universities of Iowa and California. He was for seven years, 1887-1894, on the staff of senior editors of the Annual of the Universal Medical Sciences, Philadelphia, having the department of embryology, anomalies, and monstrosities. He wrote a 150-page article on "Embryology and Histology" for the American System of Dentistry, 1885, and has written extensively in dental and medical literature on strictly scientific subjects—little or nothing on practice: "Products of the Epiblast," read before the American Medical Association, Newport, R. I., 1888; "Vocal Resonance," *ibid.*, at the San Francisco meeting, 1894; "The Antrum of Highmore in its Relation to Vocal Resonance," Journal of the American Medical Association, November 17, 1894; "Special Forms of Ossification," read before the Ninth International Medical Congress, section on anatomy, 1887; "The Present Scientific Status of Hypnotism," Review, Chicago, February, 1895; "A Study in the Psycho-physics of Music," Minnesota Magazine, April, 1895; "Psycho-physics of Sleep," Journal of American Medical Association, 1895; "Hypnotism and Crime," Medico-Legal Congress, N. Y., 1895; "Heredity in its Relation to Inebriety; Degeneration or Regeneration," Union Signal, and "Suggestion as an Ideo-dynamic Force," Chicago Academy of Medicine, 1895.

Dr. Sudduth has given much time to photo-micrography, and discovered, in 1885, a method of reproducing the colors of the original microscopic specimen in the lantern slide, without hand painting. He has devised a plan for treating empyema antri by means of specially placed tubes; also a mento-dental splint for treatment of fracture of the inferior maxilla, described in Garretson's Oral Surgery. Dr. Sudduth is now university extension lecturer on biology, Chicago University.—Taken from Physicians and Surgeons of America.



EDWIN MALANEY VAN PETTEN.



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CLASS OF 1885.

Edwin Malaney Van Petten, B. S., M. S., superintendent of the city schools of Bloomington, Illinois, was born in 1863 at Trivoli, Illinois. Left fatherless at seven years of age; in the country schools until twelve years of age; finished the ward schools, Peoria, Illinois; spent one year in a county Normal school, teaching half of the year as special substitute in the training department; then entered the Peoria high school from which he was graduated in 1882, the fall of which year he entered the Illinois Wesleyan University with a view to the Christian ministry; was graduated in 1885. He was a member of the Adelphic literary society, of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity, and represented the oratorical association in the state contest in 1884. During the summer of 1885, he supplied the pulpit of the Methodist Episcopal church at Sheldon, Illinois, and spent the year 1885-6 at Drew Theological Seminary, having sought the special instruction of Dr. Miley upon subjects which had given him mental perplexity. The summer of 1886 he supplied Ash Grove circuit, Central Illinois Conference, which conference he joined in 1886 and was appointed to Braidwood, where he remained until March of the next year, when he took a position in the high school at Joliet, Illinois, and soon became its principal. Here he manifested marked ability as teacher and administrator until he was called, in 1892, to the superintendency of the city schools of Bloomington, Illinois. He has done much to perfect the system in Bloomington and has elevated the standard of the schools until they compare most favorably with the very best in the State. He is justly considered one of the most efficient and successful public school men in the State of Illinois.

In 1887 he married Stellula D. Young, of the class of 1887, who died in April, 1892, leaving three children to the care of the father. In

August, 1893, Mr. Van Petten married Anna Fitz Henry, who had been for a few years one of Bloomington's most efficient public school teachers.

JACOB LA FAYETTE BURRITT, CLASS OF 1884.

Jacob La Fayette Burritt, Ph. B., M. A., was born in New York



in 1856, the son of a wealthy manufacturer. His youth had the double advantage of farm and factory life. In 1875 he entered Cook Academy, Havana, New York, from which he was graduated in 1887. The years following were spent in teaching as principal or superintendent of city schools in New York and Pennsylvania. He entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1884 and received its degree of Ph. B., from which he also took his Master's degree on examination.

Mr. Burritt has given much time to the study of philosophy and sociology, and has been a most popular lecturer at teachers' institutes and associations.

JACOB LA FAYETTE BURRITT.

EDWARD S. JANES, CLASS OF 1878.

Edward S. Janes, B. A., studied law in the office of his brother, George M. Janes, and was admitted to the bar in 1880, and began the practice of law in Quincy, in 1885. Later he located in Norton, Kansas and became attorney for the Missouri Pacific Railroad. His present address is Marysville, Missouri, where he is now practicing law.

## ISAAC EDWIN VALE, CLASS OF 1876.

Isaac Edwin Vale, a graduate of the law department of the year 1878, was born in Washington county, Pennsylvania, May 19, 1852. In 1856 his parents and family moved to Illinois, locating in the vicinity of where Lostant now stands, where the lad grew to manhood on his father's farm. He attended public and town schools, walking six miles a day, part of the time, to do so.



ISAAC E. VALE.

This was followed by two years teaching in public schools. In September, 1876, he entered the law school, working the while with the distinguished law firm of Williams, Burr and Capen, and also taking an active part in the Belles Lettres Society, from which

he received a diploma.

In June, 1878, graduating third in a class of seventeen members, he soon thereafter entered upon his chosen profession of the law in partnership with Hon. S. P. Robinson. The prospects not seeming bright where so many attorneys were at the bar, Mr. Vale removed in 1879 to Superior, Nebraska, where he has resided continuously to the present time, following the practice of the law in connection with other business of a lucrative nature, and has built up an active and extensive business. His home is one of the most beautiful in the city, and is enjoyed by his estimable wife and three bright children, the eldest of whom, thirteen years of age, is now in the high school of the city.

Mr. Vale has held many public positions of honor and trust, and is an active worker in the church and public enterprises.

## FRANCIS ROBERT BEATTIE, CLASS OF 1884, GRADUATE DEPARTMENT.

Among the many strong men who have completed a graduate course in the university, Rev. Francis Robert Beattie, B. A., Ph. D., D. D.,

professor of systematic theology and apologetics, Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Louisville, Kentucky, must be numbered. He is a man of excellent presence, a hard student, profound thinker, clear and enthusiastic teacher, and an interesting and instructive preacher.

## ALFRED OSCAR COFFIN, CLASS OF 1888, GRADUATE DEPARTMENT.

Alfred Oscar Coffin was born of slave parents in Poncotoc, Mississippi, May 14, 1861. After the war, as there were no schools for colored people, his father and several neighbors hired a white man from the North to teach a private school. In 1873 Rust University was founded at Holly Springs, Mississippi, where he prepared for college. In 1881 he entered Fisk University, at Nashville, Tennessee, graduating with A. B. in 1875. The same year he matriculated in biology, post-graduate course, Illinois Wesleyan University; received M. A., 1888; Ph. D., 1889; taught public schools in Mississippi, Tennessee and Texas, 1887-8; professor science, Alcorn Agricultural and Mechanical College, Rodney, Mississippi; 1889-'94, professor science and mathematics, Wiley University, Marshall, Texas; 1881, married Miss Minnie May



ALFRED OSCAR COFFIN.

Baker, Dallas, Texas; children, Lillian Viola, Oscar Laurine. His work in the post-graduate department was of the very highest order.

## GEORGE H. HOWE, CLASS OF 1889.

George H. Howe, Ph. B., M. A., professor of mathematics in the State Normal School, Warrensburg, Missouri, was born in Oswell, Pennsylvania, 1859. Studied in Susquehanna Collegiate Institute, Towanda, Pennsylvania, and graduated from the classical course of the State Normal and training school, Oswego, New York; studied at Cornell University, New York, and completed his collegiate course in the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1889; is now a student pursuing a course in pedagogy preparing for the degree of Ph. D.



GEORGE H. HOWE.

Prof. Howe is a man of fine personal appearance, a devoted member and elder in the Presbyterian church.

## HORATIO G. BENT, CLASS OF 1879.

One of the quiet, modest men, but one of the most gentlemanly and scholarly of all who have honored their *alma mater*, is Horatio Grimes Bent, B. S., LL. B., who

completed the literary course in 1879 and the law in 1881. In 1884, his scholarly habits and extensive legal knowledge were recognized by an election to a professorship in the school of law, which he held until voluntarily relinquished in 1891 that his increasing business might have his exclusive attention. Still interested in educational affairs, he renders the public valuable service on the board of public education.

## GEORGE LILLEY, CLASS OF 1883, GRADUATE DEPARTMENT.

President George Lilley, M. A., Ph. D., LL. D., was born in Kewanee, Illinois, in 1850; prepared for college in the public schools and entered the freshman class at Knox College in 1869. In 1872 he entered Michigan University and completed a special course in mathematics. After a short business career, he entered upon the profession of a teacher and developed unusual aptitude in the study of pure mathematics, and has won an extensive reputation as a mathematician by his contributions to the various magazines and journals, and his text-books: *First Principles of Algebra*, *Elements of Algebra*, *High School Algebra*, and *Blank for Teachers*.



GEORGE LILLEY.

The Master in Arts degree, *pro merito*, was conferred upon him in 1870 by Washington and Jefferson College, and in 1886 by Knox College. In 1887 Chaddock College conferred upon him an honorary degree of LL. D. His study in the university in 1883-6 was in mathematics, in which he is master. Dr. Lilley organized the Dakota Agricultural College in 1884, and served for seven years as president and professor of mathematics. In 1891 he organized the Agricultural College and School of Science in Washington, and served two years as its president. He is now principal of Park School, Oregon.



T. M. M'INTYRE, PRESIDENT LADIES' COLLEGE, TORONTO, CANADA.

T. M. McIntyre, M. A., LL. D., Ph. D., is a Canadian by birth, and one of the first educators of the Province of Ontario, Canada. He has given over twenty-five years to the cause of education, under the excellent system which has given Ontario a world wide reputation in matters educational. For the past sixteen years Dr. McIntyre has devoted his attention to the higher education of women, and in order to have the facilities necessary for carrying out his ideal, he founded and established as a proprietary institution the Presbyterian Ladies' College of the city of Toronto. The unparalleled success of this institution speaks volumes for the wide reputation of its president.



T. M. M'INTYRE.

His Bachelor's degree was obtained in Victoria University in 1867. The degree of LL. B. was conferred in 1878, and that of Ph. D., by the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1887, after a rigid course in history and political science had been success'ully pursued. His

reading has been wide in the department of philosophy and also in that of literature, in which he is pre-eminently a Shakespearean scholar. His lectures on the "Ethics of the English Drama," and "The Imagination in the Drama," show him to be an original interpreter. He is Canadian examiner in the Non-resident and Graduate Department.

JOSEPH T. KINGSBERRY, CLASS OF 1891.

Joseph T. Kingsberry, Ph. B., M. A., Ph. D., vice-president of the University of Utah, was born in Utah in 1853. He had the early advantages which come to a boy born upon a farm, and there he laid the foundation for a strong physical organism and formed habits of industry. His elementary education was obtained in Morgan Commercial College and under the private tuition of Karl G. Mæser and Dr. John R. Park in the University at Deseret. In 1875 he entered Cornell University, taking a complete course in chemistry and physics. In 1877 he taught the Twelfth District School, and in 1878 he was called to the University of Deseret, where he remained until 1895.



JOSEPH T. KINGSBERRY.

His work in the Illinois Wesleyan University was of a high grade, and showed himself to be possessed of great capacity for work. He is quiet and undemonstrative in manner, but has the qualities of firmness and endurance. In 1882 Dr. Kingsberry was appointed acting president of the University of Utah, at which time prejudice obtained against the university, and within there was no harmony. Through his wise management and kindly spirit, the prejudices both Mormon and non-Mormon have been allayed. In 1894 the regents of the university invited him to become its president, but believing that the greatest interests of the



university would not be most wisely conserved by acceptance, he sought to have Dr. Talmage, former president of the Latter Day Saints' University, elected president, which was done. Dr. Kingsberry continued as professor of chemistry and physics.

JOHN GALLAGHER, CLASS OF 1380, GRADUATE DEPARTMENT.

Rev. John Gallagher, Ph. B., M. A., Ph. D., member of the Nebraska Conference, was born in St. Clair, Michigan, in 1846. His



JOHN GALLAGHER.

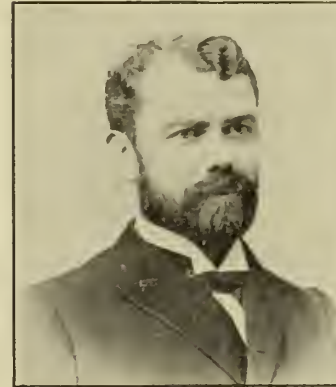
secondary education was obtained in the grammar school in Charlestown, Massachusetts, and Sycamore high school. He taught school for a number of years in Illinois and Nebraska before entering upon his ministry.

He is an accurate and thorough scholar, a profound reasoner, and a tireless worker in his calling. He has rare tact and ability in managing the finances of his congregation, and has been instrumental in building up a number of the best churches in Nebraska Methodism. He has been secretary of his conference and one term presiding elder.

In 1880, he received his degree of Ph. B., and at the same time matriculated in the graduate department. The Master's degree was taken in 1883, and the Doctor's degree in 1889.

WILLIAM S. MARQUIS, CLASS OF 1876.

Rev. William S. Marquis, B. A., M. A., D. D., was born of Presbyterian parents in the city of Bloomington, Illinois, and prepared for college in the public schools. He entered the freshman class as a



WILLIAM S. MARQUIS.

graduate from the high school in 1872, and from the beginning to the end of his course ranked high as a student. He was diligent, careful, conscientious and thorough in all his work as a student; in appearance neat, and in manner affable and gentlemanly; while in character noble in spirit and righteous in conduct.

After graduating in 1876, he entered the theological seminary in Princeton, New Jersey, and there took the degree of B. D. He began the work of a most successful ministry as pastor of the Presbyterian church at Minonk, Illinois, where he remained five years,

when he accepted a call to the Broadway Presbyterian church, Rock Island, where he still remains and is serving the twelfth year, growing in popularity and increasing in influence. He is chairman of the Board of Foreign Missions for his Synod, and discharges the functions of the office with fidelity, zeal and skill. As a preacher, he is thoughtful, scholarly and spiritual, and in his pastoral labors happily blends genuine piety and common sense. Like other strong men of Presbyterianism who have been educated at the university, Mr. Marquis is ample proof of the claim that a college may be denominational and at the same time non-sectarian, yet positively Christian. Received D. D. (Knox), '95.

GEORGE DANIEL, CLASS OF 1888, GRADUATE DEPARTMENT.

Rev. George Daniel, Ph. B., M. A., Ph. D., was born in July, 1852, of English parentage. He commenced to preach at the age of sixteen. About two years later he was received by the conference and appointed to the Adelaide circuit, Ontario. He was ordained in 1876



GEORGE DANIEL.

in the city of St. Catharines, after taking a course in the Victoria University. Soon after he was stationed on the Niagara district, where he spent four years; he was then stationed in London, Ontario, whence he was sent to the city of Winnipeg, as pastor of the Bannatyne street church, in 1883. In 1886 he received an invitation to Regina, the capital of the North-west Territories. In 1889 he was stationed in the beautiful town of Portage La Prairie, where, in addition to the pastorate he was for several years professor of modern languages in Lansdowne college; he was then stationed in the city of Brandon, and at the close of his pastorate there received an invitation

to the pastorate of Queen's Avenue church, London, one of the most important charges in Canadian Methodism. During the last few years he has been district chairman, examiner in history and literature, and secretary of the board of examiners for the Manitoba and North-

west Conference. Mr. Daniel is a thorough student, an eloquent preacher, who excels as an organizer. He is a fair representative in scholarship of the many excellent men who have entered the university from Canada and now stand at the front in the ministry and the leading professions.

THOMAS WILSON M'VETY, CLASS OF 1891.

Rev. Thomas Wilson McVety, B. A., B. D., M. A., Ph. D., was born in Loughboro, Ontario, Canada, in 1848. In 1873 he joined the Bay of Quinte Conference of the Methodist Church. In 1875 he took his B. A. degree from Albert College. During his collegiate course he took first honors in the studies of oriental languages and metaphysics, was examiner in oriental languages in Albert College for four years; studied theology in Coburg University and received the B. D. degree in 1885. Having preached ten years in Canada, he came to the United States in 1885 and joined the Central Illinois Conference, and has served its best charges at Pontiac, Normal, Kankakee, and Peoria. He completed the post-graduate course for Doctor of Philosophy, June, 1891; has been and is a most influential member of the joint board of trustees of the university. He is a master in organization, a power in the pulpit, and has the happy faculty of inspiring all his people to work.



THOMAS WILSON M'VETY.

## CLARENCE E. SNYDER, CLASS OF 1895.

Clarence E. Snyder, B. A., instructor in German and French, was born in Moweaqua, Illinois, in 1872. In his village schools he received

instruction until, in 1887, he entered the preparatory school of the Illinois Wesleyan University, from which time until June, 1895, he was a close and diligent student. During all his college career he showed marked ability in his specialties, the languages, and has tutored at home and in college more or less for four years. He taught classes in French and German in the university during the years 1893-94. During the college year of 1894-95 he was editor-in-chief, by faculty appointment, of the Wesleyan Argus, the college paper. He was also president of his class. In 1895 he was elected instructor in French and German, and



CLARENCE E. SNYDER.

is at present pursuing graduate work in German under Prof. Ferguson.

His present position is one which severely tests his power in the class room, and he who successfully meets such a test need never fear. He expects to go to Germany next year and study in the best universities with a view to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

## MARTHA MATHENY, CLASS OF 1895.

Miss Martha Matheny, B. S., assistant in the preparatory school, is also a native of McLean county, the daughter of Rev. Matheny, of the Central Illinois Conference. She prepared for college in the pre-

paratory school of the university, and completed the college course, and received the degree of B. S. in 1895.

She began teaching, however, in the public schools when very young and developed great ability to impart information and to awaken the minds of students. After nearly four years' experience in public schools, she was assistant principal in the high school of Urbana, Illinois, for two years, where she taught Latin, rhetoric, and history, previous to her graduation in 1895. During her entire college course she has been an honor student, and was universally respected for her moral qualities, and regarded as a young woman of extraordinary



MARTHA MATHENY.

intellectual constitution. She is regarded as a valuable acquisition to the preparatory school, every day evincing additional evidences of the wisdom of the action of the board of trustees in calling her to the position of assistant. She exerts a positive influence in the work of the literary societies and in Christian Associations.



## WILLIAM MONTGOMERY CARR, CLASS OF 1884.

William Montgomery Carr, B. A., M. A., B. D., spent his youth on the prairies of Illinois, under the conditions, substantially, which prevail at this time. He, however, was the one of the thousand who cared



WILLIAM MONTGOMERY CARR.

for the discipline and culture of the college, and turned a deaf ear to the siren voice of mercantilism which leads the multitude blindly by the best opportunity for best living: to carry out a higher purpose, he entered the university and completed its course of study in 1884. Like many others in western colleges, being compelled to earn in part the money necessary to a college education, he served as a student pastor for some time previous to graduation and was eminent'y

successful. Ambitious to excel in his chosen work and desiring the best preparation for it, he went to Drew Theological Seminary and on completing his studies received the degree of B. D. Having united with the New York East Conference, he has been faithful and successful, receiving honorable preferment in his conference. He is now pastor of St. Andrew's church, New Haven, Connecticut.

## DELMAR DUANE DARRAH, CLASS OF 1889.

Delmar Duane Darrah, B. S., M. S., professor of elocution, was born in Tolono, Illinois, in 1868. He entered the preparatory school of the Illinois Wesleyan from Bloomington, and completed its classical course in 1889. Two years after graduation he spent in study in his chosen profession under the best teachers of oratory in the West, beginning his work under Professor Brownlee of the University of Illinois and continuing under Professor Lyman of Chicago. He was elected to his present position in 1893.

During his college course he early manifested considerable interest in voice culture and declamation, and frequently appeared in oratorical contests. He has a splendid voice, is most polished and graceful in delivery, clear and forcible in thought, and is a ready and apt teacher in his profession. He also has charge of the classes in physical culture. Here he is rational and scientific, aiming not at pleasure but health.

## CHARLES SYLVESTER PARMENTER, CLASS OF 1883.

In June, 1883, a slender youth of scholastic mien and interesting address arrested the attention of one of the conference visitors, who was informed upon inquiry that the young man had made a splendid record as a thorough going student, always doing more than was required, and was as manly as he was studious. Charles Sylvester Parmenter, B. A., M. A., was that youth, and well has he sustained himself and fulfilled the graduation day promise. Immediately after graduation he was called to the professorship of natural science at Baker University, Baldwin, Kansas. By industry, scholarship and enthusiasm for his work, he has made that department of Baker strong and inviting, and himself a name for efficient teaching. The Wesleyan congratulates itself on having contributed a Parmenter to the chair of science and a Motter to the executive board as trustee and treasurer of Baker University.





DELMAR DUANE DARRAH.

## LILLIE ENGLISH DIMMITT, CLASS OF 1888.

Miss Lillie English Dimmitt, B. A., M. A., entered the Illinois Wesleyan University in 1884, having graduated in June of that year from the Decatur high school. A part of her preparatory work she pursued at Illinois Female College. She graduated from Illinois Wesleyan in 1888, receiving the degree of A. B. She was elected by the board as instructor in English and assistant in the non-resident department.



LILLIE ENGLISH DIMMITT.

She has pursued her study in the classics at Chicago University. For the past three years she has been teaching Latin and Greek in the University of the Northwest, Sioux City, Iowa.

## EMMA HERRON MARTIN, CLASS OF '84.

Emma Herron, a native of Illinois, was graduated from the university in 1884, having prepared for college in the preparatory department.

From 1884 to 1887 she taught in the high school at Rushville, Illinois; 1887-90, she was professor of English history at Chaddock College; 1890-92, professor of English in the college at Fort Worth, Texas; since 1893, professor and preceptress, Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Virginia; married F. W. Martin, professor of science in Randolph-Macon College, in 1889.

## RACHEL BAUMANN, CLASS OF 1888.

Rachel Baumann, B. S., teacher of elocution in the high school, Denver, Colorado, is the daughter of Rev. J. V. Baumann, of the class of 1863. She prepared for college in the public schools of her native city, Bloomington, and the preparatory school of the Illinois Wesleyan University, and was graduated in 1888, with honor. Immediately after her graduation she went to Boston and spent some time in the study of elocution and dramatic art, returning to Bloomington in 1892. Soon after she accepted a position in the Waco Female Seminary, at Waco, Texas, from which position she was called to Denver, Colorado, where she is meeting with remarkable success, displaying great ability in her chosen profession.\*

As a student, Miss Baumann was painstaking and thorough in all she did, and belonged to that small class of students which does more in the college course than is required for graduation. Early in her college career she manifested ability as a reader, and is remembered by faculty and students as a young woman of great intellectual ability.

## MARY E. BRADFORD, CLASS OF 1879.

Who was not thrilled by reading the story of that heroine at Tabriz, Persia, during the days of the plague in 1891? It was Mary E. Bradford, B. A., M. A., M. D., who rendered such self-sacrificing service to the suffering and so highly exemplified the Christly spirit and adorned her profession.

She was born at Selma, Illinois; prepared for college in our preparatory school and graduated from the college of letters in 1879. She then entered the Woman's Medical College, Chicago, from which she received her degree; spent one year in the New England Hospital for Women, and since 1889 has been in Persia as medical missionary under the direction of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions.



RACHEL BAUMANN.

## J. WELLINGTON FRIZZELLE, CLASS OF 1876.

J. Wellington Frizzelle, B. A., M. A., B. D., comes from English blood, his ancestors, both paternal and maternal, having come from England with Lord Baltimore and settled in Maryland. His father was born in Kentucky, and his mother in Ohio.

Wellington was the youngest of a family of eight children, and was left fatherless when but twelve years old. Under the guidance of his mother, he completed the public school course at Rock Island, then spent two winters in teaching and one as clerk in a general store, during all of which time he kept up his Latin and Greek, and prepared himself for the sophomore class, which he entered at the Wesleyan in 1873, graduating from that institution with the B. A. degree, in 1876. He also spent some time at the Northwestern University, and took a full course in Drew Theological Seminary. He is a man of splendid social qualities, good address, and has fine oratorical powers. He is one of the strong men of the Central Illinois Conference, and has served some of its best churches. He has several times been an official visitor to his *alma mater* appointed by his conference. His present address is Onarga, Illinois, where his splendid pulpit and social powers are exerting an important influence upon the students of Grand Prairie Seminary.

## W. H. CLINE, CLASS OF 1877, NON-RESIDENT DEPARTMENT.

W. H. Cline, LL. B., M. A., Ph. D., was graduated from the Northern Indiana Normal School, receiving the degree of B. S., when he entered upon the non-resident course of the Illinois Wesleyan University, receiving the degree of Ph. B. The degree of M. A. was conferred by the U. S. Grant University, and that of Ph. D. by Mt. Union Ohio.

For five years he occupied the chair of history in the Wesleyan University of Nebraska, but he is now pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Exeter, Nebraska.

## THE ALUMNÆ AND ALUMNI.

Inspection of the record of the graduates will show a much larger number of gentlemen than ladies, though the number of the former does not exceed that of the latter so much as the sketches would indicate. The relatively small number of sketches of ladies is not due to the scarcity of subjects who have achieved success as great as their brothers, but rather to their superior modesty and the inability of the compiler to secure the necessary data, including photographs. Of these he has a good stock on hand, but has refrained from drawing upon it, inasmuch as they would not represent their subjects as experienced graduates, having been received in the early days of co-education at the university and of course are highly valued.

Many others, and especially of the graduate department, are making their mark and justifying their titles. Among them we would mention Edward A. Schell, secretary of the Epworth League; Richard Grier Hobbs, the popular pastor and racy correspondent; Frank Lenig, of St. Louis fame; Job Mills, now one of the bishops of the United Brethren church, Rev. John C. Jackson, Columbus, Ohio; Alfred Sydney Johnson, editor of that admirable Magazine, Current History, Buffalo, New York; Henry McCormick, that accomplished gentleman and popular professor in Illinois State Normal University; Francis Newton Thorpe, author, lecturer and teacher; William Albert Ryan, author and preacher; Thomas Easton Fleming, correspondent and leader of Iowa Methodism; Albert Gallatin, one of the chief men in that staunch body of United Presbyterianism; Henry Wogan, president of Dakota University, Bismarck, Dakota; Frederick E. Stockton, principal and teacher of Greek and Latin, Carleton College, Minnesota; Frank W. Merrill, preacher, pastor and student of literature; William L. Montague, professor of modern languages, Amherst College; and Z. Willis Kemp, professor of Latin, Springfield, Massachusetts.



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Aldrich, C. S.,	1876	1880	Cumming, Frank C.,	1891		Funk, George,	1863	1874	Hoblitt, James T.,	1876	1885
Ayres, Joseph B.,	1883		Coler, W. N.,	1870	1876	Fairbanks, George W.,	1856	1862	Harvey, Wesley B.,	1877	
Andrus, Reuben,	1850	1852	Culver, J. F.,	1874	1879	Fell, Kersey H.,	1850	1855	Hawes, Eli,	1878	1880
Adams, William H. H.,			Chaffee, Francis M.,	1874	1884	Fell, Jesse W.,	1851	1856	Harding, Chauncy,	1879	1881
ex-officio,	1875	1887	Collins, William C.,	1876	1879	*Fullinwider, Jacob N.,	1870	1876	Hiser, George,	1878	1884
Barger, John S.,	1850	1862	Clark, Hyre D.,	1890		Funk, S. C.	1877	1877	James, Colin D.,	1851	1854
*Birch, Jesse,	1853	1875	Davis, George P.,	1886		Fifer, Joseph W.,	1891	1893	Keller, Ahab,	1856	1863
Bunn, Lewis,	1850	1855	Davis, David,	1852	1856	Goodfellow, William,	1851	1855	Kenyon, Dennis,	1886	
Baker, Benjamin W.,	1888		Dimmitt, James P.,	1864	1870	Goddard, Abbott,	1852	1854	Kerrick, Leonidas H.,	1886	
Brier, David,	1855	1870	Douglas, David T.,	1879		Graves, Linus,	1850	1856	Kumler, John A.,	1879	
*Benjamin, DeWitt C.,	1856	1872	Dever, William	1855	1887	Gillett, Philip G.,	1870	1876	Kent, L. B.,	1861	1876
Brooks, John P.,	1855	1861	McDowell,	1893		Gorin, Jerome,	1871	1874	Kimber, Isaac,	1858	1864
*Buck, Hiram,	1857	1892	Ewing, John N.,	1850	1852	Goodrich, L. H.,	1878	1880	Knowlton, C. C.,	1861	1864
Buck, Martha A.,	1892		Ewing, James S.,	1852	1854	Holliday, Charles M.,	1850	1851	Lewis, Calvin W.,	1850	1852
Bunn, James H.,	1877		Elliott, S. H.,	1856	1862	Holmes, William H.,	1850	1851	Luccock, John,	1855	1861
*Cartwright, Peter,	1850	1871	Evans, Jervis G.,	1861	1876	Hobbs, W. C.,	1850	1853	Lindsay, Vergil S.,	1881	1889
Coleman, Henry,	1852	1856	English, Joseph G.,	1862	1892	Hoover, L.,	1855	1857	Leaton, James,	1850	1853
Crissey, W. P.,	1856	1856	Finley, James C.,	1850	1851	Holder, Charles W.,	1856	1875	{	1884	1885
Chandler, John,	1856	1863	*Funk, Isaac,	1850	1866	Harris, Benjamin F.,	1857	1872	McDowell, W. G.,	1862	1874

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*McClun, John E.,	( 1850 1864	Newman, Wingate J.,	1852 1855	*Rutledge, George,	1864 1870	Trotter, W. D. R.,	1850 1851
	( 1868 1874	Noble, James H.,	1873 1875	Reed, John,	1875 1889	Trimmer, David,	1850 1855
Merriman, C. P.,	1850 1855	Orendorff, W. J.,	1885 1890	Rinaker, John I.,	1877 1880	Thomas, Ezekiel,	1850 1855
*Magoun, John,	1850 1874	Prather, Samuel,	1885 1887	Rutledge, William J.,	1850 1856	Taylor, Dr.,	1852 1854
Miller, James,	1850 1856	Phoenix, F. K.,	1854 1856			Tilton, G. W.,	1854 1856
Magee, Thomas,	1850 1856			Shaffer, A. B.,	1854 1856		
Munsell, Chas. W. C.,	1856 1862	Palmer, George R.,	( 1876 1885	Sears, Clinton W.,	1855 1856	VanCleve, John W.,	1850 1855
Munsell, Leander,	1856 1860		( 1890	Summers, Henry,	1855 1861	VanPelt, Samuel,	1889
Munsell, Oliver S., ex-		Parker, G. W.,	1875 1879	Smith, W. B.,	1861 1866	Water, Silas,	1850 1852
officio,	1857 1873	Parker, Dwight L.,	1881 1886	Smith, William M.,	( 1861 1876	Wallace, William,	1850 1852
Mann, Abram,	1876	Price, A. C.,	1877 1880		( 1884 1885	Willson, Jesse A.,	1868 1874
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McDowell, J. P.,	( 1877 1880	Rodger, Thomas P.,	1850 1855	Sargent, J. B.,	1877 1882	Winslow, N. M.,	1879 1885
	( 1888 1890	Roe, E. R.,	1854 1856	†Smith, D. C.,	1894 1894	Wilder, William,	1884 1888
McCulloch, Charles O.,	1891	Reeves, Owen T.,	1855			" ex-officio,	1888
McCulloch, Charles O.,	1891	Reeves, William,	1855 1857	Soule, Melvin C.,	1881 1886		
McWilliams, David,	1872 1889	Rhodes, P. T.,	1855 1861	*Sconce, James,	1881 1888	*Wilkinson, J. H.,	1886 1891
Meharry, Jesse,	1893	Rowley, R. C.,	1855 1861	Smith, David,	1885 1890	Welty, Sain,	1888
Moore, John,	1851 1856	Ritchie, Henderson,	1862 1874	*Swayne, Henry S.,	1893 1894	Wood, Preston, Sr.,	1890

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the university were made in 1863, and Harvey C. DeMotte, of the class of 1861, and professor of mathematics, was the prime mover. In the first issue of the Alumni Journal, the official organ of the association, established and edited for seven years by Dr. DeMotte and Dr. Potter, we get a glimpse of the beginning:

"During the spring of 1863, after some formal deliberation in the faculty of the university, it was determined to hold a meeting of all regular and honorary alumni during commencement week, for the purpose of organizing an alumni association. Accordingly, Rev. W. F. Short, the oldest living graduate, was requested

"The address was delivered in the M. E. church (the present Leader building), Tuesday evening, July 1, after which the few alumni present held a short conference, which resulted in the organization of the Alumni Society of the Illinois Wesleyan University. P. Warner was chosen president; H. C. DeMotte, secretary; Dr. E. R. Roe, D. Wilkins, and Dr. O. S. Munsell, executive committee; H. C. DeMotte, P. Warner, and D. Wilkins were appointed a committee on constitution."

"At the annual meeting held June 19, 1867, a new and very pleasing addition was made to the usual program. After the address by W. D. H. Young, and the reading of the memoirs of two departed members, supper was announced, whereupon all who were fortunate enough to possess the necessary ticket of admission, assembled at the Ashley House. Here the hospitable host, General G. A. Smith, under the direction of the committee, had made arrangement for their friends. 'All went merry as a marriage bell,' and at a late hour friends parted with higher hopes and stronger determination for another year of earnest toil and successful labor."



RALPH F. POTTER.

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The annual meeting of the association has become one of the chief interests of the visiting as well as resident graduates, and in these meetings the banquet is increasingly prominent. Of the resident members Doctors DeMotte and Taylor, Harry G. Reeves, Leonidas H. Kerrick, George L. Hutchin and Sain Welty have been especially active and efficient. The officers for the current year will be no less able to direct the affairs of the association. They are :

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### CLASS OF 1861.

3. Harvey Clelland DeMotte, B. S., M. A., Ph. D. (Syracuse), 1883.  
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1862, First Lieutenant Company G, 68th Illinois Volunteers; 1862-1884, Professor of Mathematics Illinois Wesleyan University; 1884-1887, President Chaddock College, Quincy, Illinois; 1887-1894, superintendent Soldiers' Orphans' Home, Normal, Illinois; 1895, Secretary of the Central Union Building and Loan Association, Bloomington, Illinois. Married Sara I. Kern in 1864. One child, Clara, now a junior in the University. See page 85.

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4. Peter Warner, B. S. La Fayette, Illinois.  
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8. Hiram N. Ayers, B. S.  
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9. John V. Baumann, B. S.  
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37. Joseph Wilson Fifer, B. S., LL. D. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Lawyer; 1871, elected corporate counsel, city of Bloomington; 1872, elected State's Attorney, McLean County; 1880-1884, State Senator; 1883-1892, Governor of the State of Illinois; in 1892 received the degree of LL. D. (Illinois Wesleyan University). See page 113.

## CLASS OF 1868.

38. Joseph Crane Hartzell, B. A.  
M. A., D. D. (Allegheny College); clergyman. See page 117.
39. Louis Walter Keplinger, B. S. Kansas City, Kansas.  
Lawyer.
40. Andrew Stickle Wilson, B. S. Sioux City, Iowa.  
Lawyer; Judge District Court. See page 114.

## CLASS OF 1869.

41. Orlando W. Aldrich, B. A., M. A. Columbus, Ohio.  
Ph. D., D. C. L., 1881, LL. D. (Albert University); Professor Law School, Ohio State University. See page 122.
42. Charles Atherton, B. A., M. A.  
Clergyman.
43. Rhynaldo J. Brooks. Chicago, Illinois.  
Lawyer and journalist; Chicago Evening Post.
44. William R. Blackwell, B. A., M. A. Denver, Colorado.  
Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference.

## CLASS OF 1869.

45. Joseph R. Cole, B. S. Decatur St., Brooklyn, New York.  
Author and teacher.
46. David N. Caldwell, B. S. Wellington, Kansas.  
Lawyer.
47. Martin L. Keplinger, B. S., M. S. Carlinville, Illinois.  
Lawyer; Public Administrator for Macoupin County, 1889-1893,  
by appointment of Governor Fifer; in 1880 married Mollie E.  
Ayers, of Danvers.
48. Robert E. Moore, B. A., M. A. Lincoln, Nebraska.  
Son of Rev. W. H. H. Moore, of the Illinois Conference; mem-  
ber of the Nebraska State Legislature three separate terms;  
Mayor of the city of Lincoln; now President of the Security In-  
vestment Company. See page 115.
49. Adolphus G. Scott, B. S. 318 Sixty-third St., Chicago, Illinois.  
Lawyer and loan broker, Lincoln, Nebraska; Superintendent  
Public Instruction one term; Judge Lancaster County, Kansas;  
practicing law.
50. James B. Taylor, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
M. D. (College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York.); Professor  
Natural Science, Illinois Wesleyan University; studied in the  
University, Leipsic, Germany, 1877-1878; practicing physician.  
See page 79.
51. Micajah Van Winkle, B. S. Waverly, Illinois.  
Farmer.
52. Louis C. Wagner, B. S., M. S. Nicholasville, Kentucky.  
M. D. (Bell Hospital Medical College, New York); physician.

## CLASS OF 1870.

53. Melchoir Auer, B. A., M. A. Rossville, Illinois.  
B. D. (Garrett Biblical Institute); clergyman, Illinois Conference.
54. Francis Marion Bishop, B. S., M. A. Salt Lake City, Utah.  
Assayer and chemist; Professor in Deseret College.
55. Henry C. Birch, B. A., M. A. Millersburg, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference.
56. George H. McCracken, B. A. San Jose, California.  
B. D. (Drew Theological Seminary) 1878; clergymen, Califor-  
nia Conference.
57. Parmenis Smith, B. S. Denver, Colorado.  
Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference; real estate dealer.

## CLASS OF 1871.

58. Richard W. Barger, B. A., M. A. Des Moines, Iowa.  
Lawyer.
59. Alexander C. Byerly, B. A., M. A.  
D. D. 1894; clergyman, Illinois Conference; has filled pulpits in  
Urbana, Quincy and Springfield; Presiding Elder of the Cham-  
paign District. See page 115.
60. John W. Denning, B. A., M. A. Mazon, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference.
61. Marcus L. Fullinwider, B. A., M. A. Eldorado, Kansas.  
Physician. See page 118.
62. William F. Graves, B. A., M. A.  
Lawyer and loan broker. St. Paul, Minnesota; professor in the

Illinois Wesleyan University; professor of Latin in Iowa University.

63. James A. Kelley, B. S. California.  
Broker.
64. Robert E. McClelland, B. S. Williamsville, Illinois.  
M. D. (Rush Medical College); physician.
65. James A. Northrup, B. A., M. A. Watseka, Illinois.  
B. D. (Garrett Biblical Institute); clergyman, Central Illinois Conference; seven years as a missionary in India.
66. Robert B. Porter, B. A., M. A.  
Lawyer; deceased.
67. Lucius A. Vasey, B. A., M. A. LeRoy, Illinois.  
Farmer; candidate for the Legislature on the Prohibition ticket in 1892.
68. J. Vincent Willis, B. A., M. A.  
Clergyman and journalist.
69. Thomas R. Wiley, B. S. Gibson City, Illinois.  
M. D. (Rush Medical College); president National Building and Loan Association; president Gibson Iron Works; president Gibson Land Company; local surgeon Illinois Central Railway Company; medical examiner for several life insurance companies.

## CLASS OF 1872.

70. William Eddy Barnes, B. S. St. Louis, Missouri.  
Manager and editor Age of Steel. See page 128.

71. James Albert Johnson, B. A., M. A. Oakland, California.  
Lawyer.
72. George Abram Martin, B. S.  
Deceased.
73. Francis Edwin Munsell, B. S. Council Grove, Kansas.  
Son of President O. S. Munsell; farmer.
74. Hannah I. Shur, B. S., M. S. El Paso, Illinois.  
First woman graduate of the Illinois Wesleyan University; first President W. C. T. U. of the Ninth Illinois District; an active worker in the church.
75. William Shamburg Wilson, B. A. Present address unknown.  
Teacher.

## CLASS OF 1873.

76. William H. Booth, B. S. Clinton, Illinois.  
Lawyer; for twelve years State's Attorney, De Witt County.
77. Charles A. Hazenwinkle, B. A., M. A. Hall Beach, Cape May, New Jersey.  
Actor.
78. James W. Holder, B. S. Chenoa, Illinois.  
Banker and stock dealer.
79. Alexander H. Davies, B. A.  
Son of Richard N. Davies, of the Illinois Conference; lawyer; died at Bakersville, California, May 24, 1875.
80. George W. Crum, B. A., M. A. Arenzville, Illinois.  
B. S. (Adrian College); physician.

81. Charles H. Long, B. S., M. S. Pontiac, Illinois.  
Chicago M. D. (Homeopathic College); three terms Coroner Livingston County, Illinois; United States Pension Examiner 1879-1886; superintendent M. E. Sunday School fifteen years; practicing physician. See page 120.
82. John E. Scott, B. S. Indianapolis, Indiana.  
Lawyer. See page 121.
83. Llewellyn David Seward, B. S. St. Louis, Missouri.  
Lawyer.
84. William H. Wilder, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Clergyman Illinois Conference; Presiding Elder 1884-1888; 1888, delegate to General Conference; 1888, President Illinois Wesleyan University; delegate General Conference, 1896.
- CLASS OF 1874.
85. John T. Ayers, B. S., M. S. Danvers, Illinois.  
Farmer; married Hattie Estes in 1875.
86. Martha Benjamin, B. S., M. S. Hudson, Illinois.  
Died March 1, 1885.
87. DeWitt C. Benjamin, B. A. Hudson, Illinois.  
Died February 7, 1875.
88. James M. Blazer, B. S. Macomb, Illinois.  
Lawyer.
89. Benjamin Webb Baker, Ph. B., M. A., Ph. D.  
Principal of the Grammar School of the Illinois State Normal in 1876; member of the Central Illinois Conference; served four years as Presiding Elder of Streator District; from 1890 to 1893; Financial Agent of the Illinois Wesleyan University; 1893, President Chaddock College, Quincy, Illinois. See page 116.
90. Marion Victor Crumbaker, B. A., M. A. Rock Island, Illinois.  
1895, D. D. (Chaddock College); clergyman, Central Illinois Conference. Presiding Elder of the Rock Island District. See page 122.
91. Marquis L. Grum, B. S., M. S. Virginia, Illinois.  
Farmer.
92. Samuel T. Fullinwider, B. S. Mechanicsburg, Illinois.  
Farmer.
93. William C. Gilbreath, B. S. Williamsville, Illinois.  
Clerk of Iowa State Penitentiary.
94. Walter H. Graves, B. A., M. A.  
Civil engineer; 1874-1880 with the Powell Exploration Survey; 1880-1889, in the employ of the Illinois Central, Wisconsin Central, Chicago & Northwestern and Denver & Rio Grande Railway Companies; did extensive work in building irrigation canals, Colorado; 1889-1891, engaged in mining surveys in Colorado, since which time employed as superintendent of irrigation by the United States Indian Bureau.
95. John Moore, B. S., LL. B. Lincoln, Nebraska.  
Lawyer and loan broker.
96. Kate B. Ross, B. S. Quincy, Illinois.  
Teacher; Professor of Elocution, Hedding College.
97. George E. Scrimger, B. A., M. A. Danville, Illinois.  
B. D. (Drew Theological Seminary); D. D. (Illinois Wesleyan University, 1894,) clergyman, Illinois Conference. See page 120.



98. J. O. Shelland, Ph. B. Address unknown.  
Minister.

99. Albert Walkley, B. A. Manistee, Michigan.  
Clergyman, Reformed Protestant Episcopal Church; lawyer.

## CLASS OF 1875.

100. James O. Applebee, B. A., M. A. Cuba, Illinois  
Graduated from National School of Oratory, Philadelphia, 1878;  
D. D. S., dental department of the Iowa State University; dentist;  
married Miss Ella Bowers, 1882.

101. Eli P. Adams, B. S. Little Falls, Minnesota.  
Lawyer; married Miss Emma A. Ross.

102. Richard H. Bosworth, B. A., M. A.  
Clergyman. See page 118.

103. Thomas I. Coultas, B. A., M. A. Indianapolis, Indiana.  
Married Miss Angie Morrison, Bloomington, Illinois, in 1875;  
Pastor of Roberts Park Methodist Episcopal Church. See  
page 124.

104. James W. Coultas, B. A., M. A. Streator, Illinois.  
Teacher, 1884-92, Clinton; 1892-93, Havana; 1894, Streator,  
Illinois.

105. Franc H. Cumming, B. A., M. A. Streator, Illinois.  
Ph. D., 1884; clergyman, Central Illinois Conference. See  
page 124.

106. James M. Grant, B. A., M. A. Labette, Kansas.  
Tile manufacturer.

107. Delia Henry, B. S., M. S.  
Teacher; has taught the Grant School, west of Bloomington,  
since 1883.

108. Charles S. Ludlam, B. A., M. A.  
Teacher, Cape May, New Jersey; died June, 1882.

109. George P. Meixell, B. A., M. A. Pekin, Illinois.  
LL. B.; practicing law.

110. Allen C. Mason, B. S. Tacoma, Washington.  
Lawyer; president Mason, Morgan Loan Co.; in 1878 he mar-  
ried Miss Libbie Lawrence, Bloomington, Illinois.

111. Augustine Y. Morris, Ph. B. Troy, Illinois.

112. May Round, B. S. Mansfield, Illinois.  
Married A. T. Abbott.

113. Joseph A. Smith, B. A., M. A. Bryant, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference, 1875-76; Colorado Conference.

114. William A. Smith, B. A., M. A. Jacksonville, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference; delegate to the General Confer-  
ence, 1892; married Miss Julia Milmine, 1877. See page 123.

115. Thomas A. Sterling, B. A., M. A. Huron, South Dakota.  
Lawyer; member State Constitutional Convention and Senator.  
See page 125.

116. Samuel Van Pelt, B. A., M. A. Onarga, Illinois.  
D. D., 1891; Professor Elocution, Illinois Wesleyan University;  
studied in the School of Theology, Boston, Massachusetts;  
member of the Central Illinois Conference; 1890, President  
of Grand Prairie Seminary; married Miss Alice B. Ford, 1876.  
See page 125.

## CLASS OF 1876.

117. John H. Bennett, B. A.  
B. D. (Drew Theological Seminary); clergyman; died in 1877.
118. John A. Brooks, B. A., M. A. 24 Hull St., Montgomery, Alabama.  
1880-1883, with N. C. & St. L. Ry., Nashville, Tennessee; 1883-1886, Chief Clerk General Passenger and Ticket Department, F. R. & S. Ry., Jacksonville, Florida; 1886-1896, Assistant General Freight Agent, L. & N. Ry.
119. Winslow Evans, Ph. B., M. A. Peoria, Illinois.  
Ph. D. (1880); lawyer; Judge of Peoria County, 1886-1890.
120. Jacob Wellington Frizzelle, B. A. Monmouth, Illinois.  
M. A., 1879, also M. A. from the Northwestern University; B. D. (Drew Theological Seminary); clergyman; Central Illinois Conference. See page 152.
121. Josephine Hall, B. S. Plaquemine, Louisiana.  
Teacher; 1876-1879, public schools, Gibson, Illinois; 1879, married James McClure.
122. George L. Hutchin, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Journalist; proprietor and publisher of the Sunday Eye. See page 130.
123. Joseph H. Ketron, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Tennessee.  
Teacher; 1876-1877, Professor of Mathematics in Holston Seminary, New Market, Tenn.; the first and only President at Kingsley Seminary, Bloomington, Tennessee, elected in 1877; delegate to the General Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, in 1884. See page 132.
124. Mary H. Kuhl, B. A., M. A. Springfield, Illinois.  
Teacher of German in High School, Bloomington, Illinois; studied one year in Germany; taught seven years in Springfield High School; married Prof. William Helmle, superintendent city schools, Springfield, Illinois, July, 1893.
125. William S. Marquis, B. A., M. A. Rock Island, Illinois.  
B. D. (Princeton); D. D. (Knox); five years pastor of the Presbyterian church, Minonk, Illinois; now in the eleventh year of his pastorate at Broadway Presbyterian church, Rock Island, Illinois; chairman of Foreign Missions, Synod of Illinois. See page 145.
126. Calvin Rayburn, B. S., M. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
LL. B.; Lawyer; 1876-77, principal of the High School, Shelbyville, Illinois; 1878-79, superintendent of schools, Hillsboro, Illinois; practicing law; secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Illinois Wesleyan University. See page 130.
127. Mary B. Rogers, B. S. Peoria, Illinois.  
1878, married Fred B. Tracy.
128. Byron F. Staymate, B. A., M. A. Clinton, Illinois.  
Lawyer; traveled extensively in Mexico.
129. James Oliver Wilson, B. A., M. A. Brooklyn, New York.  
B. D. (Drew Theological Seminary); D. D. (Illinois Wesleyan University); clergyman; professor of Elocution, Illinois Wesleyan University; professor of Elocution, Drew Theological Seminary; 1891, pastor Simpson Methodist Episcopal Church, Brooklyn, New York; 1895, president of New York City Methodist Preachers' meeting. See page 126.
130. Henry C. Whiting, M. A. Hackettstown, New Jersey.  
Ph. D.; clergyman.

## CLASS OF 1877.

131. D. M. Armstrong, B. S.  
Teacher; superintendent of schools, Vermilion County, Illinois.  
Deceased.
132. DeWitt C. Corley, B. S. Decatur, Illinois.  
Lawyer; married Laura Fulton, 1882.
133. Gilmore Cunningham, B. S., M. S. Indianola, Illinois.  
Clergyman Illinois Conference.
134. Mary F. Etter, B. A., M. A.  
M. D., 1880; died at Springfield, Illinois.
135. Homer Britten Holcomb, B. A., M. A. Creston, Iowa.  
Merchant; five years principal of the High School, Wyandot, Illinois.
136. Marquis D. Hornbeck, B. A., M. A. Quincy, Illinois.  
S. T. B. (School of Theology), Ph. D. (Denver University);  
clergyman, Colorado Conference; 1887-90, president Chaddock  
College; married Lydia Kuhl in 1879. See page 133.
137. Mary F. Kanaga, B. A., M. A. Hutchinson, Kansas.
138. Richard W. Kennedy, B. S. Hull, Illinois.  
Merchant; principal Plainville (Illinois) school; dealer in  
farming implements.
139. J. H. Logie, B. A., M. A.  
B. D. (Drew Theological Seminary); clergyman.
140. Robert McKay, B. A., M. A. 6618 Ellis Ave., Chicago, Illinois.  
Teacher; superintendent schools, Washington; Fairbury; prin-  
cipal of Preparatory Department and Professor of Elocution,  
Illinois Wesleyan University; Elgin High School; superintendent  
city schools, Burlington, Iowa; Blue Island, Illinois; editor of  
the Interstate School Review. See page 128.
141. Joseph F. McNaught, B. S., M. S. Seattle, Washington.  
Lawyer. See page 134.
142. John H. Merritt, B. S.  
Died, 1879.
143. James M. Miller, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Druggist.
144. Belle Sterling, B. S., M. S. Toulon, Illinois.  
Teacher; 1880, married John H. Scott, of class of 1880.
145. R. B. Welch, B. S., Topeka, Kansas.  
M. A. (*pro merito*), 1880; lawyer; married Maggie Hammond,  
1870. See page 131.
146. William H. Cline, Ph. B. Bismarck, Dakota.  
Clergyman. See page 152.
147. Abner Gregory, Ph. B. 39 Salem Road, Brighton, S. W., Lon-  
don, England.  
Clergyman.
148. J. H. Robinson, Ph. B. Cherry Point, Illinois.

## CLASS OF 1878.

149. Arthur Johnson Beavis, B. S., M. S. 1333 Court Place, Denver,  
Colorado.  
Married Miss Carrie Smith, Peoria; physician.
150. Joseph Webster Cornish, B. A.  
Clergyman, Minnesota Conference; married Edna Morrison, of  
Bloomington, Illinois.

151. Charles S. H. Dunn, B. A., M. A.  
B. D. (Drew Theological Seminary); Ph. D., 1884; married Belle Ryburn, 1878; died in London, England, 1894; buried Bloomington, Illinois.
162. S. C. Fulton.  
Minister; Financial Agent Syracuse University and Wyoming Seminary.
153. Richard O. Hickman, B. A., M. A. Santa Barbara, California.  
Teacher.
154. Benjamin F. Hyde, Ph. B. Englewood, Illinois.  
Superannuated member Illinois Conference.
155. E. S. Janes, B. A. Marysville, Missouri.  
Lawyer. See page 141.
156. Melvin Porter Lackland, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
B. D. (Garrett Biblical Institute); clergyman, Central Illinois Conference; Professor of Mathematics, Illinois Wesleyan University. See page 105
157. Libbie L. Lawrence, B. A. Tacoma, Washington.  
Won prize essay; married Allen C. Mason, class of 1875.
158. William W. Lindsley, B. S., M. S. Havana, Illinois.  
Teacher; 1879-1880, Professor Mathematics, Central Tennessee College, Nashville, Tennessee; 1883-1887, Professor Mathematics, Adamsville Institute.
159. Sylvester Melvin, B. S., M. S. Greenfield, Illinois.  
Teacher; farmer; Township Collector; married Ida L. Strickland.
160. John Asbury Motter, B. S., M. S. Baldwin, Kansas.  
Clergyman, Kansas Conference; married Anna E. Brown, of Normal. See page 135.
161. Charles W. Parkinson, B. A., M. A. Vandalia, Illinois.  
Teacher; principal of schools in Illinois and Colorado; superintendent public schools, Vandalia, Illinois; married Miss Wegetta Atkins at Carbondale.
162. William H. Pumphrey, B. A., M. A. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.  
Ph. D. (Philosophy, Princeton.); clergyman, Presbyterian church.
163. Edward William Paul, B. S., M. S. Forest City, Illinois.  
M. D.; physician.
164. Herbert Mitchel Rollins, B. S. 60 Bryant Ave., Chicago.  
Board of Trade.
165. Belle Ryburn, B. S., M. S. Riverside, California.  
Married Charles S. H. Dunn, class of 1878.
166. James Alexander Wakefield, B. S., M. S. Cedar Rapids, Iowa.  
Lawyer.
167. James Almeday Willis, B. S., M. S. 417 Locust St., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.  
Manufacturer; Heating and Ventilating Company, of Smead, Wills & Co., Philadelphia and Pittsburg.
168. Same as number 154; repeated by mistake.



## CLASS OF 1879.

169. Henry Moses Boyce, B. A. Broadalbin, New York.  
Clergyman, Methodist Episcopal Church.
170. Mary E. Bradford, B. A., M. A. Tabriz, Persia.  
M. D. (Women's Medical College, Chicago); one year in New England Hospital for Women, Boston; now a medical missionary, Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions. See page 150.
171. Horatio Grimes Bent, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
LL. B.; 1884-91, professor in Law Department Illinois Wesleyan University; member of Board of Education; married Miss Ada Crist. See page 143.
172. Richard Crews, B. A., M. A. Geneseo, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference. See page 136.
173. George Millard Cummings, B. A.  
Clergyman; died, 1882, San Antonio, Texas.
174. Newell D. Gilbert, B. A., M. A. Austin, Illinois.  
Teacher; superintendent of schools; Clifton, Illinois, 1878-82; Utica, 1882-84; Maywood, 1884-87; Austin, 1887-96.
175. Stephen Goldsmith, B. A., M. A. Odelle, Nebraska.  
B. D. (Drew Theological Seminary); Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
176. Josephine Giddings, B. A., M. A. Tiskilwa, Illinois.  
Married Rev. J. F. James, Central Illinois Conference.
177. Lydia Melinda Kuhl, B. A., M. A.  
Teacher; taught German and Latin in Danville Seminary, 1884-87; Professor of German and Latin, Chaddock College; married Rev. Marquis D. Hornbeck, class of 1877.
178. Elizabeth M. Moore, B. S. Alhambra, Colorado.  
Teacher.
179. Francis Mueller, Jr., B. S. Spokane Falls, Washington.  
Musician; dean of College of Music (I. W. U.); Dean of College of Music, Spokane Falls.
180. Martha Alice Munsell, B. S., M. S. Mechanicsburg, Illinois.  
Teacher; married W. S. Bullard.
181. Frank C. Read, B. A., M. A.  
Journalist, 1882-1885; General Secretary Y. M. C. A., Bloomington, Illinois, 1885-1886; clergyman, Illinois Conference since 1886.
182. Manford J. Ricks, B. S. Topeka, Kansas.  
Journalist; died March, 1882.
183. Charles Orlando Strickland B. S., M. S. Chicago, Illinois.  
M. D.; taught two years in Preparatory Department of the Illinois Wesleyan University; physician; died December, 1891.
184. Chelius Franklin Tobey, B. A.  
Teacher; clergyman, Illinois Conference; student Garrett Biblical Institute.
185. Samuel Miller Ware, B. A., M. A. Omaha, Nebraska.  
B. D. (McCormick Theological Seminary); D. D., (University of Omaha); clergyman; pastor of Second Presbyterian church. See page 133.
186. David Gay, Ph. B. Payson, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference; Presiding Elder, one term, Mattoon District; delegate to General Conference, 1892, from Austin, Texas.

## CLASS OF 1880.

187. Fremont Charles Blandin, B. A., M. A. Streator, Illinois.  
LL. B.; lawyer.
188. Charles Wesley Campbell, Ph. B.
189. Martin Luther Curl, Ph. B.  
Clergyman Little Rock University; member of the General Conference of 1894; Presiding Elder Little Rock District, Arkansas.
190. John Alonzo Fisher, Ph. B., M. A. Baltimore, Maryland.  
Journalist; assistant editor of the Advance; deceased.
191. John Gallagher, Ph. B., M. A. Ph. D., 1889; clergyman, Nebraska Conference; secretary of his conference; Presiding Elder one term. See page 145.
192. George Darwin King, B. A., M. A. Twin Bridges, Montana.  
Clergyman.
193. Anza Letta Minear, B. S., M. S. Topeka, Kansas.  
Married George Music; died in Chicago, 1889.
194. Robert W. Patterson, B. A., M. A. La Junta, Colorado.  
Farmer and stock raiser; president of the First National Bank.
195. Jennie May Ryburn, B. A. Bloomington, Illinois.
196. John Harden Scott, B. A., M. A.  
B. D. (Drew Theological Seminary); clergyman, Central Illinois Conference.
197. Joseph Smiley Sagaser, B. S., M. S. Chicago, Illinois.  
M. D. (Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia,) Professor College of Physicians and Surgeons.

198. Margaret Annetta Sudduth, B. S., M. S. Chicago, Illinois.  
Journalist; editor Union Signal. See page 138.

199. Mary Lenore Van Pelt, B. L. Ravenswood, Illinois.  
Student of French, German and music, Boston University; taught in Bloomington schools; married A. Dupuy.

## CLASS OF 1881.

200. Kate Conant Crego, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Teacher; married George House.
201. James Otis Denning, B. A.  
Student in the Boston School of Theology; 1888-1896, a missionary of the M. E. church in Narsing Phur, Central Province, India; married Miss M. W. Beahm, Fairfield, Illinois.
202. Clara May Funk, B. S., M. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Married F. D. Humphreys, wholesale merchant.
203. David H. Gillan, B. A., M. A. Fresno, California.  
Clergyman; pastor of the M. E. church.
204. Laura Betta Marquis, B. S.  
Died at her home in Bloomington, March 20, 1880.
205. Nelson Kinyon McCormick, B. A., M. A. Normal, Illinois.  
M. D. (Chicago Medical College); married Mary Sudduth in 1889; physician.
206. John Allen Sterling, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Lawyer; chairman of the County Republican Central Committee, 1888-1890; State's Attorney since 1892; is a member of the law firm of Welty & Sterling. See page 138.

207. Arthur Luther Stickle, B. A. Eureka, Kansas.  
Teacher.
208. Homer J. Smith, Ph. B., M. A. Butler, Pennsylvania.  
Ph. D.; clergyman.
209. Sain Welty, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
LL. B. (Yale Law School); member of the Board of Trustees of the Illinois Wesleyan University; also Examiner in Political Science; member of the law firm of Welty & Sterling; married Gertrude Bell in 1879. See page 137.
210. Margaretta W. Beahm Ph. B. Narsing Phur, Central Province, India.  
Married Rev. J. O. Denning, class of 1881.
211. John Davis Bloodgood. Waverly, New York.  
Clergyman; author of "Personal Reminiscences of the War;" pastor of the M. E. church.
212. Henry Thomas Dawson, Ph. B. Dudley, Massachusetts.  
Ph. D., 1883, Physics; teacher.

## CLASS OF 1882.

213. Edward Everett Donnelly, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
LL. B., 1885; lawyer; married Miss Klopenburg, of Springfield, in 1890.
214. Lyman Covell Floyd, Ph. B., M. A. Scranton, Pennsylvania.  
Ph. D., 1888; clergyman.
215. James Allen Fullinwider, B. S., 507 West Monroe St., Chicago, Illinois.  
LL. B. (Michigan University); lawyer,

216. Alice Harpole, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.
217. William Anwyl Jones, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
General secretary Y. M. C. A., Brazil, Indiana, convention poet of the Phi Delta Theta National Convention, Nashville, Tennessee; city editor of the Daily Republican Journal, of Moline, Illinois; 1896, city editor Daily Leader, Bloomington, Illinois.
218. William Spencer Ruby, B. A., M. A.  
Deceased.
219. Francis Newton Thorpe, Ph. B., M. A. North East, Pennsylvania.  
Ph. D.; teacher; author.
220. John Robert Van Pelt, B. A., M. A. University Park, Denver, Colorado.  
S. T. B., Ph. D. (Boston University); clergyman, Illinois Conference; taught one year in Illinois Wesleyan University; student in Germany; 1893, Professor of History and Systematic Theology, Denver University; married Bishop Warren's daughter in 1893.

## CLASS OF 1883.

221. Dexter W. Corley, B. A., M. A. Sioux City, Iowa.  
Employed in the office of N. G. Life Insurance Company.
222. George E. Gerowe, Ph. B.  
Teacher; died May 30, 1893, while principal of the High School, Davenport, Nebraska.
223. Calvin W. Hickman, B. A., M. A. Topeka, Kansas.  
Took law course at Topeka, Kansas, and was admitted to the

- bar; connected with the Topeka High School for more than four years; now serving second year as principal of same; married in 1884 to Miss Florence A. Wasmuth, who died March 18, 1890.
224. William E. Higbee, B. A., M. A. Rooms 626 and 627 Rialto Building, Chicago, Illinois.  
1885-1892. member of the law and insurance firm of Eaton & Higbee. Devil's Lake, North Dakota; 1892 to the present, manager Western ~~Factory~~ Insurance Association.
225. Murray Levering Johnson, B. A., M. A. Oakland, California.  
M. D. (Cooper Medical College); physician and surgeon of Receiving Hospital, Oakland, California; surgeon of the Oakland Clinic, and consulting surgeon of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company.
226. David Thomas Miles, B. S., M. S. Casey, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference; pastor M. E. church; married Miss Hattie Pritchard in 1890.
227. William Fee Muse, B. A., M. A. Ottumwa, Iowa.  
Was city editor Cedar Rapids Gazette five years; is now business manager of the Ottumwa Courier.
228. Charles Sylvester Parmenter, B. A., M. A. Baldwin, Kansas.  
Professor Natural Science. See page 148.
229. Robert Howard Patton, B. S., M. S. Springfield, Illinois.  
Member of the law firm of Orendorff (present Adjutant General of Illinois) & Patton.
230. Thomas Harvey Simmons, B. A., M. A. 708 Tacoma Building, Chicago, Illinois.  
Took second prize oratorical contest in 1882; married Luella Yocum, 1883; lawyer.
231. Dora Philena Straight, B. A., M. A. Chicago, Illinois.  
Medical student of the Cook County Hospital, 304 Monroe St.
232. Luella Yocum, B. S. Chicago, Illinois.  
Won oratorical contest in 1882; married Thomas H. Simmons in 1883. They reside at 735 Warren avenue.  
CLASS OF 1884.
233. Jacob Lafayette Burritt, Ph. B., M. A. Wellsoda, New York.  
See page 141.
234. William Montgomery Carr, B. S., B. A., M. A. New Haven Connecticut.  
B. D. (Drew Theological Seminary); clergyman; pastor of the St. Andrews M. E. Church, New Haven; member of New York East Conference, 1895; president Young People's Union, New Haven District. See page 148.
235. Mary Cochran, Ph. B., M. A. Brooklyn, New York.  
Teacher of Latin in Girls' School.
236. Edward C. English, B. S. Danville, Illinois.  
M. D. (Rush Med.); physician; married Miss Belle Brown, September, 1889.
237. William H. Gay, Ph. B., M. A. Dennison, Texas.  
Ph. D., 1886, Physics and History; teacher; superintendent of schools.
238. James Monroe Green, Ph. B. Trenton, New Jersey.  
M. A. (Dickinson College); Ph. D., Philosophy and Pedagogics.
239. William Henry Hart, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Lawyer; present member of the city council.



240. Emma Herron, B. A., M. A. Lynchburg, Virginia.  
Teacher; High School, Rushville, Illinois, 1884-1887; Professor of English and History, Chaddock College, Quincy, Illinois, 1887-1890; Professor of English History, Fort Worth University, Fort Worth, Texas, 1890-1892; married to Prof. F. W. Martin, Ph. D., June 26, 1889; has done considerable post-graduate work in American Literature and German; present address, Randolph-Macon Woman's College. See page 150.
241. Charles Wellington Minard, B. A., M. A. Maywood, Illinois.  
Ph. D., 1894 (Pedagogy); teacher; received a life certificate to teach in Illinois in 1884; principal of the schools at Frankford one year; superintendent of schools, Wilmington, five years; superintendent of schools, Maywood, from 1890 to the present time.
242. Charles Norton Sloan, B. S. Petersburg, Illinois.  
Was a clergyman for two years; at present, a printer.
243. Sara J. Underwood, Ph. B. Greencastle, Indiana.  
Wife of Prof. Lucien M. Underwood.
- CLASS OF 1885.
244. Asa Howard Ballard, B. A., M. A.  
B. D. (University of Chicago); clergyman; Moderator, Linn Baptist Association.
245. Robert Burns. Niagara Falls, Canada.  
Clergyman.
246. J. A. Carmichael, Ph. B. Columbus, Ontario.  
Clergyman.
247. Arthur Melvin Conard, B. A., M. A., LL. B. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference; student one year in Boston School of Theology; married Miss Etta M. Montgomery, October 14, 1885; graduate in Law, Illinois Wesleyan University.
248. Mary Theresa Cowen, B. S., M. S. Princeton, Indiana.  
For three years superintendent Illinois Young Woman's Christian Temperance Union; married October, 1892, to Rev. A. H. Kelso, pastor First Cumberland Presbyterian church at Princeton, Indiana.
249. Abiah Brown Davis, Ph. B. Spencer, New York.
250. Edward E. A. Deavor, Ph. B. Wrightsville, Pennsylvania.  
Ph. D.; Clergyman.
251. Andrew W. Edwards, Ph. B., M. A. Denver, Colorado.  
Ph.D.; manager Rocky Mountain agency Aetna Life Insurance Company.
252. William Frizzelle, Ph. B. Toronto, Ontario.  
Clergyman.
253. Horace Gibson, Ph. B., M. A. Maysville, Wisconsin.
254. David Kellock, Ph. B., M. A. Spencerville, Ontario.
255. Leon Lee Loehr, B. A., M. A. Chicago, Illinois.  
LL. B. (Kent Law School); lawyer; firm of Loehr & Nate, corner Clark and Washington Streets.
256. Mark G. McCaslin, Ph. B. Gustavus, Ohio.  
Clergyman.
257. David Lemont McCrae. Coburg, Ontario.
258. John Jasper Methvin, Ph. B. Butler, Georgia.
259. Oliver Jasper Perrin, Ph. B. South Bay City, Michigan.
260. Herbert Powell, B. A., M. A. Fairbury, Illinois.  
LL. B.; married Miss Jessie B. Downing, of Fairbury, April 10, 1893; now practicing law.

261. Henry Edwin Robbins, Ph. B., M. A. Lyons, Iowa.
262. Henry Horace Rogers, Ph. B. Kankakee, Illinois,  
M. D.
263. Henry Orlando Stone, B. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Merchant; member of Executive Committee, Alumni Association.
264. Edwin Melaney Van Petten, B. S. M. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Teacher; student one year in Drew Theological Seminary; one year pastor of the M. E. church, Braidwood; married Lulu D. Young, class of 1887, who died May, 1892; in August, 1893, he married Miss Anna Fitz Henry. See page 141.
265. John Fletcher Wight, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
LL. B., 1895; lawyer.

## CLASS OF 1886.

266. Edward Albert Bigler, B. S., M. S. Auburn, Illinois.  
Merchant.
267. W. F. Brush. Postoffice unknown.  
Clergyman.
268. Edward G. Catermole, B. A., M. A. Arden, Missouri.  
B. D. (Garrett Biblical Institute); Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference.
269. Josephine A. Chenoworth, B. S., M. S. Dwight, Illinois.  
Teacher.
270. Edward Storer Gwynn, Ph. B. M. A.  
Ph. D., clergyman.

271. Fred P. Haggard, B. A., M. A. Assam, India.  
B. D. (Baptist Seminary, Morgan Park); missionary, Baptist Church.
272. George N. Hay, Ph. B., M. A. New Brunswick.
273. George W. Hull, Ph. B.
274. John L. Miller, B. S., M. S. Frankfort, Kansas.  
Clergyman, Kansas Conference.
275. Margaret Sarah Patton, B. S.  
Married John R. Abell, Taylorville, Illinois, September, 1889; deceased.
276. Maud Pillsbury, Ph. B. 605 Washington Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.  
Married James D. Walker.
277. James Quinn, Ph. B. Manitoba, Canada.  
Clergyman.
278. James Shaw, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
LL.B. 1891; editor Lancet.
279. Orilla A. Sikes, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Teacher; principal No. 5 school.
280. George W. Sikes, B. A., M. A. Helena, Montana.  
Editor Helena Herald.
281. Samuel Bower Sinclair, Ph. B., M. A. Ontario.  
Clergyman.
282. William Symonds, Ph. B. Address unknown.
283. Sarah E. Van Pelt, B. S. Normal, Illinois.

284. Albert W. Vanneman, B. S., M. S. Stony Beach, California.
285. Frank Ephraim Welles, Ph. B., M. A. Geneseo, New York.
286. John Heston Willey, Ph. B. Address unknown.  
Clergyman.
287. Myron Chesterfield Wilcox, Ph. B., M. A. Foochoo, China.  
Ph. D., 1895; clergyman; missionary M. E. church.
288. Alexander Tait, Ph. B. Ontario, Canada.  
Clergyman.
289. Bert Woodworth, B. S. Chicago, Illinois.  
Merchant.
290. Harriet Ella Young, B. S., M. S. Blue Mound, Illinois.  
Teacher in mission school, Heber, Utah; married Rev. C. E.  
Carr. of the Illinois Conference.
- CLASS OF 1887.
291. William Wesley Allen, B. S., M. S. St. Paul, Minnesota.  
LL. B. (Chicago College of Law); lawyer.
292. Florence Baldwin, Ph. B. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
293. Charles Milan Barrickman, B. S., M. S. Pontiac, Illinois.  
Lawyer; Judge Probate Court.
294. James Morris Bull, Ph. B. Minneapolis, Minnesota.  
Clergyman.
295. John Morgan Davidson, B. S., M. S. Kansas City, Missouri.  
Wholesale dealer, paints and oils.
296. Myron Tuttle Dana, Ph. B. Fredonia, New York.
297. Silas Young Gillan, Ph. B., M. A. Milwaukee, Wisconsin.  
Educator; editor of The Western Teacher.
298. Edward C. Graff. Sheridan, Oregon.  
Clergyman; missionary M. E. Church, Utah and Oregon.
299. Frederick Osborn Jackman, B. S. Mt. Pleasant, Iowa.  
M. D. (Chicago Medical College.); assistant superintendent  
pathological laboratory, hospital for insane.
300. William H. Kerrick, B. S., M. S. Bloomington, Illinois  
LL. B., 1889; lawyer; secretary Bloomington Electric Light  
Company.
301. Holman Kelley Hastings, Ph. B. West Side, Iowa.  
Ph. D., 1890; clergyman.
302. Edith Kneeland, B. S. Lexington, Illinois.  
Teacher in High School, Lexington, Illinois; married to Dr.  
Hanson, of Lexington.
303. Enoch C. Lavers, Ph. B. New Brighton, Pennsylvania.  
Ph. D., 1891; teacher.
304. Charles Ezra Libby, Ph. B. Holly Springs, Mississippi.  
Clergyman; president Rust University.
305. Daniel Deroda Lukes, Ph. B., M. A. Ligonier, Indiana.
306. Laura McCulloch, B. S. Washburn, Illinois.  
Teacher; taught in Eureka, Illinois, and other places.
307. Albert Alexander Morrison, Ph. B., M. A. Schuyler, Nebraska.  
Ph. D., 1889; clergyman.

308. Ella New, B. S., M. S. Pitlain, Colorado.  
Teacher: 1887-1888, taught in Preparatory Department of the University.
309. John William Perrin, Ph. B. Danville, Illinois.
310. John Charles Richmond, B. S. Fort Scott, Kansas.  
Teacher: 1890-1896, principal Mograve School.
311. Louis Warner Riggs, Ph. B. Cumberland, Maine.  
Ph. D., 1895; teacher.
312. Rolland Augustine Russell, B. S., M. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
LL. B., 1891; lawyer; professor College of Law. See page 96.
313. Francis Marion Smith, Ph. B. Amenia, New York.
314. Leonard Abbey Straight, B. A. St. Paul, Minnesota.  
Student in Union College of Law, Chicago; now practicing law.
315. Thomas G. Thomson, Ph. B. Hamilton, Ontario.  
Clergyman; pastor Locke Street Presbyterian church.
316. Bina Van Petten, B. S., M. S. 1533 East Eleventh Street, Kansas City, Missouri.  
Stenographer; married Harry Clark.
317. Robert Henry Waddell, Ph. B. St. George, Ontario  
Clergyman.
318. Anthony Walford, Ph. B. Mooers, Ontario.  
Clergyman.
319. Edward Newell Ware, B. A. Florence, Wisconsin.  
B. D. (McCormick); clergyman, pastor Presbyterian church.
320. Laura Watson, Ph. B., M. A. Albea Lea, Minnesota.

321. Altha J. Watson, B. S. Edgerton, Wisconsin.  
One of the organizers of the National Y. W. C. A. for colleges; died in 1887.
322. Stellula D. Young, B. S., M. A.  
Married Prof. E. M. Van Petten, August 31, 1887; died in Joliet, Illinois, May 8, 1892.

## CLASS OF 1888.

323. Charles Reuben Bailey, A. B. Penacook, New Hampshire.  
Ph. D., 1892; clergyman, Baptist church.
324. Rachel Baumann, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Professor of Elocution, High School, Denver, Colorado. See page 150.
325. David Lodwick Brethour, Ph. B., M. A.  
Ph. D., 1892; clergyman. See page 116.
326. Alice E. Brown, Ph. B. Lafayette, Indiana.
327. Lewis Campbell, Ph. B. South Waukegan, Illinois.  
Student in Garrett Biblical Institute, Evanston; pastor M. E. church.
328. Elijah Chesney, Ph. B., M. A. Bay City, Michigan.  
Ph. D., 1882; clergyman.
329. Alfred Oscar Coffin, B. A. (Fisk University). West Side, Mississippi.  
M. A., Ph. D. (I. W. U.); professor, secretary and treasurer Alcorn Agricultural and Mechanical College. See page 142.
330. Charles E. Collins, B. S. Chicago, Illinois.  
Teacher, 1888-93; Law Student.



331. Joseph Dyke Walter Deavor, Ph. B., M. A. Weatherly, Pennsylvania.  
Ph. D., 1893; clergyman.
332. George Daniel, Ph. B., M. A. London, Canada.  
Ph. D., 1895. See page 146.
333. Lillie English Dimmitt, B. A., M. A. Sioux City, Iowa.  
Professor Ancient Languages in the University of the Northwest. See page 150.
334. Joseph Finnemore, Ph. B. 12 College Road, Brighton, England.  
Ph. D., 1890; clergyman; Examiner Non-Resident Department.
335. Lizzie Ann Grove, Ph. B. Coal City, Illinois.  
Student Gem City Business College; married Rev. John H. Ryan.
336. Edward Fletcher Jordan, Ph. B., M. A. Tremont, Illinois.  
Ph. D., 1890; clergyman, Baptist church.
337. David Keppel, Ph. B. Clyde, New York.  
Clergyman, Methodist Episcopal church.
338. James O. Kirkpatrick, B. A. Ashland, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
339. Ira W. Kenward, Ph. B. Roberts, Illinois.  
Teacher.
340. John Joshua Leach, Ph. B. Brighton, Ontario.  
Clergyman.
341. Frank Lenig, Ph. B., M. A. St. Louis, Missouri.  
Ph. D., 1890; clergyman, St. Louis Conference.
342. Edward Lyle, Ph. B. Fort Collins, Colorado.
343. James Affleck McBain, Ph. B. Providence, Rhode Island.  
Clergyman.
344. David M. Mihill, Ph. B., M. A. Toronto, Canada.  
Clergyman.
345. William Wirt Mills, Ph. B. Bethlehem, Pennsylvania
346. Monroe Willis Spear, Ph. B. Mt. Gilead, Ohio.  
Teacher; superintendent public schools.
347. John Oakley Spencer, Ph. B., M. A. Tokio, Japan.  
Ph. D., 1893; teacher; member of General Conference, 1888.
348. David Taylor, Ph. B., M. A. Southington, Connecticut.  
Ph. D.; clergyman.
349. Cornelia Belle Wells, Ph. B. Utica, New York.
350. Frank T. Wilcox, B. S., M. S. California.  
M. D.; physician.
351. Richard Edmund Williams, Ph. B. Pittston, Pennsylvania.  
CLASS OF 1889.
352. Mary R. Albin, B. A.  
Teacher; married Mr. Gillogly; died in 1894.
353. Corlton Montville Balfour, Ph. B. Ellinwood, Kansas.  
M. D.; physician.
354. Otho Ford Bartholo, Ph. B., M. A. New York.  
Ph. D., 1891; clergyman.
355. William Benjamin Booth, Ph. B. Rosemont, Ontario.  
Clergyman.

356. Dwight Payson Breed, Ph. B. Wyandotta, Michigan.  
Clergyman; pastor First Congregational church.
357. Edward D. Champion, B. A., M. A. Mattoon, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
358. James William Cupples. Leeper, Michigan.  
Teacher; superintendent public schools.
359. Helen Mary Cyrus, Ph. B. Chicago, Illinois.  
Married.
360. Lu Lester Everly, B. A., M. A. Aurora, Illinois.  
Teacher: Science, High School.
361. Isaac Day. Orrillia, Ontario.  
Educator; inspector of schools.
362. Asbury Newton Ebaugh, Ph. B. Baltimore, Maryland.  
Teacher; Professor Mathematics, Polytechnic Institute.
363. Walter H. Elliot. Hamilton, Ontario.
364. Abram Leonard Gee, Ph. B., M. A. Jerseyville, Ontario.  
Clergyman.
365. Leslie Philander Hanna, B. S. Waukegan, Illinois.  
Teacher; 1889-1890, principal Greenfield schools; 1890-1898,  
principal Waukegan; now lawyer.
366. Andrew H. Harnly, B. A., M. A. Mason City, Illinois.  
Clergyman; Professor Ancient Language and History, Mt. Mor-  
ris, Illinois, pastor Baptist church.
367. Henry Harris, Ph. B. Minooka, Pennsylvania.  
Ph. D., 1893; clergyman; pastor Baptist church.
368. Edward D. Henry, B. S. Springfield, Illinois.  
Lawyer.
369. George Henry Howe, Ph. B., M. A. Warrensburg, Missouri.  
Teacher. See page 143.
370. David A. Lockwood, Ph. B. Plattsburg, New York.  
Teacher; Professor Mathematics, Normal School.
371. Myron Lee Norris, Ph. B. Oregon, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Rock River Conference.
372. George A. Powles, Ph. B. Chicago, Illinois.  
Teacher; mathematics; West District High School.
373. Alvin Fletcher Rohrer, B. A. Waverly, Illinois.  
1890-1893, firm of Rohrer & Sahler, real estate agents, Salt  
Lake City, Utah; principal of Waverly schools.
374. Henry H. Sahler, B. S., B. A. Salt Lake City, Utah.  
M. A., M. S.; 1890-1893, firm of Rohrer & Sahler, real estate  
agents.
375. Andrew J. C. Saunier, Ph. B., M. A. Chicago, Illinois.  
M. D.; physician.
376. David Henry Snoke, Ph. B. Durant, Iowa.
377. William Xavier Sudduth, Ph. B., M. A. 100 Clark St., Chicago,  
Illinois.  
M. D., D. D. S. See page 139.
378. George Samuel Thompson, B. A. Nashville, Tennessee.  
Teacher; Professor Mathematics, Central Tennessee College.

379. Richard S. Thomas, Ph. B. Warren, Ohio.  
Teacher; superintendent of schools.
380. Smith Williston Toles, Ph. B., M. A. New Haven, Connecticut.  
Ph. D., 1894; clergyman.
381. Frank W. Wheeler, B. A. 100 Washington St., Chicago, Illinois.  
Won prize in the Illinois State oratorical contest; represented the State in the Inter-Collegiate contest at Grinnell, Iowa, 1889; lawyer.
382. Oscar L. Wilson, Ph. B. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Dean College of Arts, Illinois Wesleyan University.
383. Henry Willis Wood, B. S., M. S. Sheldon, Illinois.  
M. D. (Medical College, Columbus, ); physician.

## CLASS OF 1890.

384. John Sylvester Brown, Ph. B., M. A. New York City.  
Teacher.
385. Lyman Strickland Brown, Ph. B. Hamden, New York.  
Clergyman.
386. Arthur Thomas Carr, Ph. B. Birmingham, England.
387. Anson Lorenzo Caviness, Ph. B. Syracuse, New York.  
Principal public schools.
388. Amasa Franklin Chaffee, Ph. B. Union, New York.  
Clergyman.
389. George Clark, Ph. B. Milton, Ontario.  
Ph. D., 1892; clergyman.
390. Carry May Darnell, B. S. Chicago, Illinois.  
Stenographer railroad company, office of superintendent of C. & N. W. Railroad Company.
391. Delmar Duane Darrah, Ph. B. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Professor of Elocution; director of Physical Culture, Illinois Wesleyan University. See page 148.
392. Theophilus S. Devitt, Ph. D. Branford, Connecticut.  
Clergyman; pastor Congregational church.
393. John Ehrenstein, Ph. B. New York City.
394. Israel Miller Gable, Ph. B. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.  
Clergyman.
395. Anna Rosina Godshalk, Ph. B. Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.
396. Francis May Gooding, B. S., M. S. Fisher, Illinois.  
Teacher, Bloomington Schools; 1894, married Dr. Shurtz of Fisher, Illinois.
397. Henry Gray, Ph. B. West Milton, Ontario.  
Ph. D.; teacher.
398. Carrie Melintha Hainline, B. S. Lewiston, Illinois.  
Teacher.
399. Mary Morilla Hainline, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Stenographer.
400. Nellie Hand, Ph. B. Lafayette, Indiana.
401. George Hastings, Ph. B., M. A. Danielsville, Connecticut.  
Clergyman.
402. Edward C. Hulse, Ph. B. Clarkstown, New Jersey.

403. Albert Lee, Ph. B. Leeds, England.  
Clergyman.
404. Lydia Birchard McCoy, B. S. Pueblo, Colorado.  
Teacher: died January 23, 1894.
405. Alice McCoy, B. S. Pontiac, Illinois.  
Teacher: married Huston B. Watt, farmer.
406. William Lincoln McMahan, B. A. Lincoln, Illinois.  
Lawyer.
407. Clinton B. Marsh, Ph. B. North Tonawanda, New York.  
Principal high schools.
408. George Wesley Marvin, Ph. B. Woodville, Ontario.  
M. A., Ph. D.; clergyman.
409. Martha Josephine Myers, Ph. B. Pomona, California.  
Married Dr. Cassius Maxon Smith.
410. Joseph C. Nate, B. S., M. S., M. A. Corner Clarke and Wash-  
ington Streets, Chicago.  
LL. B. (Northwestern University); law firm of Nate & Loehr.
411. Thomas Nicholson Ph. B. Evanston, Illinois.  
Clergyman: student Garrett Biblical Institute.
412. Sarah Peacock, Ph. B. Newport, Kentucky.
413. Nellie J. Pollock, B. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Teacher: professor modern languages, Ripon, Wisconsin.
414. Ralph F. Potter, B. A., M. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Lawyer.
415. John Joseph Power, Ph. B. Picton, Nova Scotia.
416. B. Merrill Ricketts, Ph. B. Cincinnati, Ohio.  
M. D.; physician.
417. William Bowman Tucker, Ph. B., M. A. Arden, Ontario, Canada.  
Ph. D.; clergyman.
418. Frank Wardle, B. A., M. A. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.  
With Smead, Wills & Co.
419. Harvey Sherman Watson, B. S., M. S. Normal, Illinois.  
Nurseryman.
420. George Thieley Wetzel, B. S., M. S. Auburn, Illinois.  
Clergyman.
421. Francis Henry Wogan, Ph. B. Wogansport, North Dakota.  
Clergyman.

## CLASS OF 1891.

422. Charles Harrison Bohn, Ph. B., M. A. Boone, Iowa.  
Clergyman.
423. Wesley Campbell, Ph. B., M. A. Blythe, Ontario.  
Ph. D.; clergyman.
424. Joseph Simpson Cook, Ph. B., M. A. Ripley, Ontario.  
Ph. D.; clergyman.
425. Carry Lena Cole, B. S. Phoenix, Arizona.
426. William N. Cottrell, B. S., M. A. Mason City, Illinois.  
B. A. (Harvard), 1893; LL. B. (Harvard).



427. Frank J. Diamond, Ph. B., M. A. Tonawanda, N. Y.  
Ph. D.; teacher.
428. George William Dill, Ph. B. Portland, New Brunswick.
429. John Fuller, B. S., LL. B. Clinton, Illinois.  
Lawyer; State's Attorney.
430. Sulveanus S. Gabriel, Ph. B. Osborn, Ohio.
431. Henry Jacob Harnly, B. S., M. A. McPherson, Kansas.  
B. A. (Harvard), 1892; teacher; Professor Natural Science,  
McPherson College, McPherson, Kansas.
432. Samuel Hutchinson, B. S. Chicago, Illinois.  
Assistant teller American Exchange Bank; pharmacist.
433. Joseph Thomas Kingsberry, Ph. B., M. A. Salt Lake City, Utah.  
Ph. D.; professor. See page 144.
434. Walter Mitchell, B. S., B. A. Petersburg, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
435. Alva Bailey Peck, B. S. Bowen, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
436. Arthur William Potter, Ph. B. Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania.
437. George Henry Roberts, Ph. B., M. A. Stratton, England.
438. Albert Wilber Taylor, Ph. B., M. A. Rushville, New York.
439. Nannie M. Want, B. A. Newman, Illinois.  
Teacher.
440. William Arthur Warner, Ph. B. La Fayette, Illinois.  
M. D., 1894 (Chicago Medical College).
441. Hattie May Wasmuth, B. S. Lewiston, Illinois.  
Teacher; 1891-1894, High School, Keithsburg; 1894-1896,  
High School, Lewiston.
442. Charles Crum Wilson, B. S. Chicago, Illinois.  
Clerk, Bankers' National Bank.
443. Preston Wood, Jr., B. S. Maroa, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
444. Charles Yardley, Ph. B. Westchester, Pennsylvania.
- CLASS OF 1892.
445. John Sheaffer Arnold, Ph. B. Ridgeway, Pennsylvania.
446. Cyrus Edward Bigler, B. A. Auburn, Illinois.  
Canning factory and general mercantile business.
447. William Brandon, B. A. Lovington, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
448. William Fletcher Cameron, Ph. B. Crossville, Tennessee.
449. William Thomas Cline, Ph. B. University Place, Nebraska.  
Clergyman.
450. John Frederick Augustus Deutsch, B. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Student Chicago Medical College.
451. Joseph Fitzgerald, Ph. B. Scarsdale, New York.
452. Alonzo J. Funkhauser, Ph. B. LL. B. Mattoon, Illinois.
453. Arthur B. Haines, Ph. B. Fort McLeod, Alberta, Canada.
454. E. Helen Hannahs, Ph. B., M. A. Albany, New York.  
Ph. D., 1895; teacher.

455. Lewis Reifsneider Harley, Ph. B., M. A. North Wales, Pennsylvania.  
Ph. D.; teacher, Political Science.
456. Jonathan Albert Hill, Ph. B. Dundas, Ontario.
457. John Franklin Horney, Ph. B. Fairmount, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
458. Vergil Linn Huey, B. A. Gibson City, Illinois.  
Teacher; 1892-1893, assistant in High School, Watseka; 1893-1894, principal High School, Sheldon, Illinois; 1894-1896, student in Johns Hopkins University.
459. Eugene Landon, B. S. Auburn, Illinois.  
Student Gem City Business College; merchant.
460. Agnes Grace Loudon, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.
461. William Love, B. S., M. A. Park River, North Dakota.  
Clergyman, Methodist Episcopal church.
462. William D. Mabry, Ph. B. Salt Lake City, Utah.  
Clergyman.
463. J. Finley Malcom, Ph. B. Macomb, Illinois.
464. Job Smith Mills, Ph. B. Eugene, Oregon.  
M. A. (Otterbein); Ph. D., 1894; elected Bishop of United Brethren church, 1892.
465. Joshua Hughes Paul, Ph. B. Logan, Utah.
466. Elmer S. Redman, Ph. B., M. A. Belfast, New York.
467. Edwin Rose, Ph. B. Rockton, Illinois.  
Teacher.
468. Albert Winfield Ryan, Ph. B. Duluth, Minnesota.  
D. C. L. (Trinity College); LL. D. (Toronto University and Victoria College, Toronto).
469. William Richard Scanlan, Ph. B., M. A. Omagh, Ontario.  
Ph. D., 1895; clergyman.
470. William H. Simpson, Ph. B., M. A. Au Sable, Michigan.
471. William Taylor, Ph. B., M. A. Charlotte, New York.  
Clergyman.
472. John Henry Tear, Ph. B. Chicago, Illinois.
473. Charles W. Whorrell, Ph. B. Peoria, Illinois.  
Clergyman; Presbyterian.
- CLASS OF 1893.
474. William C. Armstrong, Ph. B. Hawksville, Ontario.
475. Eugene Orville Bardwell, Ph. B., M. A. Emporium, Pennsylvania.
476. Asa Irwin Brown, Ph. B. Watford, Ontario.
477. Frank Crane, Ph. B. Omaha, Nebraska.  
Clergyman; Illinois Conference, 1892; Nebraska Conference, 1895.
478. John P. Edgar, Ph. B. Arrowsmith, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
479. Elizabeth H. Fullenwider, B. S. Chicago, Illinois.  
Teacher.
480. William Harris, Ph. B., M. A. Montreal, Quebec.  
Clergyman.

481. Mary L. Hickman, B. S. Rossville, Illinois.  
Teacher; assistant principal schools.
482. Frank Luther Horn, Ph. B., M. A. Lexington, Ohio.  
Teacher.
483. Mary E. Hotsenpiller, B. S. Ballard, Illinois.  
Teacher.
484. William H. Johnson, B. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Student at Johns Hopkins University.
485. James Ross Kaye, Ph. B. Madison, Wisconsin.
486. Phebe Kerrick, Ph. B. Jacksonville, Illinois.  
Teacher; professor of Natural Science and preceptress Illinois  
Female College.
487. Elbert M. Kirkpatrick, B. S. Chenoa, Illinois.  
Law student, Illinois Wesleyan University 1894; grain merchant.
488. Charles E. Knapp, B. A. Salina, Kansas.  
Teacher; professor Science and Penmanship, St. John's School.
489. F. A. W. Meyer, Ph. B. Lochine, Quebec.  
Clergyman.
490. Charles Augustus Moore, Ph. B. Paxton, Illinois.  
Clergyman; pastor Congregational church.
491. Clayton L. Morey, Ph. B. Greenwich, New York.
492. Irene May Morse, Ph. B. Laramie, Wyoming.  
Teacher; State University.
493. Gilbert Charles Mouldsdaie, Ph. B. Flemington, New Jersey.  
Clergyman.
494. George R. Newkirk, B. A. Warrensburg, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
495. William Clayton Noll, Ph. B. Wellsville New York.
496. Thomas Edwin Orr, B. S. Buffalo, Illinois.  
Teacher; principal of schools.
497. Mrs. Harriet Towle Perrin, Ph. B. Chicago, Illinois.
498. Joseph Waite Presby, Ph. B. Argyle, New York.  
Clergyman
499. William Charles Reuter, Ph. B. Hannibal, Missouri.  
Clergyman, Missouri Conference.
500. William H. Ryan, Ph. B. Cobblehill, New York.
501. George Fletcher Salton, Ph. B. Brussels, Ontario.
502. Jerohn J. Savitz, Ph. B. Slatington, Pennsylvania.
503. Albert T. Sowerby, Ph. B., M. A. Aylmer, West Ontario.  
Ph. D., 1895; clergyman.
504. George T. Trach, Ph. B. New Washington, Pennsylvania.
505. Charles Franklin Van Sant, Ph. B. Essex, New York.
506. Mrs. Hannah L. White, Ph. B. Lake Linden, Michigan.

## CLASS OF 1894.

507. Grace Adams, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Chicago Training School.

508. Samuel Buell Allison, Ph. B. Elmwood, Illinois.
509. Lucy Bates, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Professor of German, Chaddock College, Quincy, Illinois.
510. William E. Blair, B. A. Evanston, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference; Garrett Biblical Institute.
511. Ada Brewer, B. S. Moore's Hill College, Indiana.  
Instructor in Rhetoric and English.
512. Wesley D. Britton, B. A. De Land, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
513. Samuel T. Burnett, B. S. Chatham, Illinois.  
Teacher; principal of schools.
514. Herbert S. Cadwell, B. S. Utica, Illinois.  
Bank clerk.
515. Charles N. Cole, B. A. Champaign, Illinois.  
Teacher: 1894-5 principal of schools, Windsor, Illinois; assistant professor of Latin, University of Illinois.
516. Thomas Henry Gilbert, Ph. B. Red Bluff, California.
517. Frederick J. Giddings, B. A. Deer Creek, Illinois.  
Clergyman; student Garrett Biblical Institute; Central Illinois Conference.
518. Ida Belle Haslup, Ph. B. Pueblo, Colorado.  
Teacher.
519. Leonard E. Lackland, B. S. Chenoa, Illinois.  
1894-1895, real estate agent, Mendota; grain merchant.
520. J. Edwin McCartney, Ph. B. Valley City, North Dakota.
521. Robert F. McDaniel, Ph. B. Buffalo, Illinois.  
Teacher, 1894-1895; clergyman, Illinois Conference.
522. Elmer E. Mecham, B. A. Milford, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference.
523. John Wesley Moles, Ph. B. Hanna City, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference.
524. William G. Park, Ph. B. West Hanover, Massachusetts.
525. Laura I. Poe, B. A. Cerro Gordo, Illinois.  
Teacher.
526. John W. Priest, Ph. B. Browning, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
527. J. William Probasco, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Student Law School, Illinois Wesleyan University.
528. Charles Ault Procnier, Ph. B., M. A. Revelstoke, British Columbia, Canada.
529. George W. Randle, B. A.  
Clergyman, Southern Illinois Conference.
530. Austin C. Rishel, Ph. B. Ravenswood, Illinois.
531. Henry William Shryock, Ph. B. Olney, Illinois.  
Teacher.
532. Anna Pearl Smith, B. S. Auburn, Illinois.
533. Thomas John Snowdon, Ph. B. Hanover, Ontario.
534. Amos Clyde Staley, B. A. DeLand, Illinois.  
Teacher.



535. Mary E. Sterry, B. S. Chenoa, Illinois.  
Married E. M. Kirkpatrick, grain merchant.
536. Benjamin A. Sweet, B. A. Marshall, Illinois.  
County superintendent of schools.
537. E. Van Slyke, Ph. B. Albany, New York.
538. Charles Benjamin Van Wie, Ph. B. Florence, Alabama.  
Professor.
539. William Wallace Whitmore, B. A. Peoria, Illinois.  
LL. B. 1895; law firm of Whitmore & Barnes.
540. William H. Washburne, Ph. B. Johnstown, New York.
541. William Williamson, Ph. B. Verona, Ontario.

## CLASS OF 1895.

542. Charles C. Adams, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Assistant, Biology and Physics, Illinois Wesleyan University.
543. Freeman Harlan Allen, Ph. B. Potsdam, New York.
544. Robert E. Bird, B. A. Roberts, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference.
545. Fred L. Buck, B. A. Mt. Auburn, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.
546. Samuel Parker Cadman, Ph. B. Yonkers, New York.
547. Alvin Alonzo Cober, Ph. B. Newberry, Pennsylvania.
548. Francis Marion Coleman, Ph. B. Cedar Falls, Iowa.
549. Albert W. Griffith, Ph. B. Norwich, New York.

550. Alice Grove, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Teacher, city schools.
551. Hattie Henry, B. S. Mt. Pleasant, Utah.  
Missionary M. E. church.
552. Ruth Henry, B. A. Bloomington, Illinois.
553. Ralph Holmes, B. A. Bloomington, Illinois.
554. Judson Hopkins, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.
555. Ethel Hopson, B. S. Midland City, Illinois.  
Principal schools.
556. J. Howard Hulsart, Ph. B. Dover, New Jersey.
557. Mary Laity Jay, Ph. B. Fort Wayne, Indiana.  
Teacher.
558. George John Kirn, Ph. B. Jackson, Michigan.
559. Herbert Buell Johnson, Ph. B. Aoyama, Tokyo, Japan.  
Teacher.
560. Frederick Hiram Lane, Ph. B. Babylon, New York.
561. James Liddy, Ph. B. Hampton, Ontario.
562. James Milford McKee, Ph. B. Silver Creek, New York.
563. Louis Magin, B. A. Chillicothe, Illinois.  
Principal schools.
564. Walworth Marsh, B. A. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Student Harvard University.
565. Martha Matheny, B. S. Normal, Illinois.  
Assistant Preparatory School, Illinois Wesleyan University.  
See page 147.

566. Frederick Mayer, Ph. B. Jackson, Michigan.  
567. William B. Merrill, B. S. Lexington, Illinois.  
Law student, Illinois Wesleyan University.  
568. Wave Miller, B. S. Bloomington, Illinois.  
Law student, Illinois Wesleyan University.  
569. James Riggs Orr, B. S. Buffalo, Illinois.  
Teacher.  
570. Frederick S. Parkhurst, Ph. B. Rochester, New York.  
571. Arthur William Rich, Ph. B. Cedar Falls, Iowa.  
572. Norton M. Rigg, B. A. Warsaw, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Illinois Conference.  
573. Rudolph H. Schuett, B. A. Pekin, Illinois.  
Clergyman, Central Illinois Conference.  
574. Julius Silberstein, Ph. B., M. D. Fort Apache, Arizona.  
575. Hiram W. Slack, Ph. B. St. Paul, Minnesota.  
576. Fred Warren Smedley, Ph. B. Peru, Illinois.  
577. Clarence E. Snyder, B. A. Moweaqua, Illinois.  
Instructor in German and French, Illinois Wesleyan University.  
See page 147.  
578. Oscar Calvin Henry Spiller, Ph. B. Maynard, Texas.  
579. Bart C. Van Ingen, Ph. B. Northville, New York.  
580. W. J. Wilson, Ph. B. Ottawa, Ontario

## ALUMNI OF THE LAW SCHOOL.

## CLASS OF 1875.

581. Richard Osborn, Judge Superior Court Seattle, Washington.  
582. Randolph A. Pike, real estate broker. Chicago, Illinois.  
583. John H. T. James.  
584. Newton B. Reed, lawyer. Pierre, South Dakota.  
585. Isaac D. Walker, lawyer. Decatur, Illinois.  
586. Marshall N. Williams, lawyer. Kansas City, Missouri.

## CLASS OF 1876.

587. Joseph L. Colvin. Normal, Illinois.  
588. Lester M. Hall, lawyer. St. Louis, Missouri.  
589. William D. Haynie, lawyer. South Dakota.  
590. Walter M. Keenan, lawyer. Chicago, Illinois.  
591. George W. Martin, lawyer. Virginia, Illinois.  
592. William P. McMurray. Normal, Illinois.

- 593. Harry D. Spencer, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 594. Richard A. Wade, lawyer. Chicago, Illinois.
- 595. George L. Warlow, lawyer. Virginia, Illinois.
- 596. Charles F. Wertz, book-keeper. Bloomington, Illinois.

## CLASS OF 1877.

- Winslow Evans, lawyer. Peoria, Illinois. See No. 115.
- 597. George L. Hoffman, lawyer. Mt. Carroll, Illinois.
- 598. Zechariah T. Hundly. Deceased.
- 599. Frank Jackman.  
John Moore, lawyer. Lincoln, Nebraska. See No. 95.
- 600. J. Patterson Smith. Chenoa, Illinois.
- 601. George Snelling, lawyer. Des Moines, Iowa.
- 602. Edward W. Sutherland, farmer. Holder, Illinois.
- 603. Frank Young.

## CLASS OF 1878.

- Eli P. Adams, lawyer. Little Falls, Minnesota. See No. 101.
- 604. George L. Artz, lawyer. Columbus, Ohio.
- 605. John M. Allyn.
- 606. John W. Barger.
- 607. Robert H. Brown, lawyer. Huron, South Dakota.
- 608. Louis L. Burr, merchant. Chicago, Illinois.
- 609. John Cook.
- 610. John W. Hartley, deceased.
- 611. John T. McClure. Denver, Colorado.
- 612. William S. Metz.

- 613. William Ollis. Kansas City, Missouri.
- 614. James M. Pulliam. Little Falls, Minnesota.
- 615. John M. Ready, lawyer. Wellington, Kansas.
- 616. Frank T. Rowell, deceased.
- 617. Christopher W. Stephenson, lawyer. Ottawa, Kansas.
- 618. Squire Tompkins, employee Illinois Penitentiary. Joliet, Illinois.
- 619. I. Edwin Vale, lawyer. Superior, Nebraska. See page 142.

## CLASS OF 1879.

- 620. H. Leon Coffey, lawyer. Streator, Illinois.
- 621. Samuel B. Curtis.
- 622. Orlando B. Ficklin, Jr., deceased.
- 623. Eugene A. Ford.
- 624. W. H. Lanning, lawyer. Hastings, Nebraska.  
George P. Meixsell, lawyer. Pekin, Illinois. See No. 109  
Calvin Rayburn, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois. See No. 126.
- 625. John H. Shay, lawyer. Streator, Illinois.
- 626. Marietta B. R. Shay.
- 627. Kimball P. Snyder.
- 628. John Stapleton, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.

## CLASS OF 1880.

- 629. William E. Haworth.
- 630. George A. Hill, lawyer, Bloomington, Illinois.
- 631. Curtis McMasters, lawyer. Howard, Kansas.
- 632. James H. McCoy, lawyer. Decatur, Illinois.
- 633. George B. Miller, merchant. Bloomington, Illinois.

- 634. Charles A. Minier.
- 635. John J. Morrissey, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois. See Page 97.
- 636. James L. Stoker.
- 637. John M. Thompson, deceased.
- 638. Lincoln H. Weldon, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.

## CLASS OF 1881.

- 639. Philip W. Barnes, lawyer. Lawrenceville, Illinois.
- 640. F. B. Blandin, lawyer. Streator, Illinois.
- 641. John J. Brown, lawyer. Vandalia, Illinois.
- 642. Willey L. Brown.
- 643. Hugh Carroll, deceased.
- 644. John D. Clark.
- 645. Charles R. Dollarhide.
- 646. Edward J. Fisher.
- 647. William D. Fulwiler, General Manager Arizona Land Company.  
Phoenix, Arizona.
- 648. Frank R. Henderson, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 649. Charles W. Israel, lawyer. Henrietta, Texas.
- 650. J. M. McAfferty, deceased.
- 651. Amos Oller, lawyer. Stanton, Illinois.
- 652. Charles P. Schwer, lawyer. Hebron, Nebraska.
- 653. Benjamin F. Stocks, lawyer. Garden City, Kansas.

## CLASS OF 1882.

- 654. James M. Albert.
- Horatio G. Bent, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois. See No. 171.

- 655. William P. Blue. Nokomis, Illinois.
- 656. Orion K. Brown. California, Missouri.
- 657. Arthur H. Bennett, lawyer. Minden, Nebraska.
- 658. LaFayette Council.
- 659. W. W. S. Eberle.
- 660. John T. English, lawyer. Danville, Illinois.
- 661. Andrew J. Funkhouser, lawyer. Mattoon, Illinois.
- 662. Charles Goodspeed, lawyer. Joliet, Illinois.
- 663. Sand F. Goodspeed, banker. Joliet, Illinois.
- 664. Douglas H. Helm, lawyer. Metropolis, Illinois.
- 665. Lewis E. Ijams, ex-county treasurer. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 666. Benjamin F. Simpson.
- 667. Harry V. Tipton, deceased.

## CLASS OF 1883.

- 668. George W. Ballance.
- 669. Richard M. Barnes, lawyer. Lacon, Illinois.
- 670. Martin A. Chambers.
- 671. William H. Harnsberger, lawyer. Decatur, Illinois.
- 672. Manford E. Kinnan.  
Jacob P. Lindley, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois. See page 94.
- 673. John J. Pitts, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 674. J. Walter Ransdell. Deceased.
- 675. Eben A. Richardson, lawyer. Shelbyville, Illinois.
- 676. Oscar R. Silliman.



## CLASS OF 1884.

677. Frank D. Ader, lawyer. Bainbridge, Indiana.  
678. John W. Davis, lawyer. Topeka, Kansas.  
679. William E. David, lawyer. Blair, Nebraska.  
680. A. L. Phillips, lawyer. Gibson City, Illinois.  
681. Samuel D. Stahl. Washington, D. C.  
682. George R. Tilton, lawyer. Danville, Illinois.

## CLASS OF 1885.

683. Asher C. Ball, lawyer. Pontiac, Illinois.  
684. Andrew J. Barr, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
685. J. C. Briney. Sheldon's Grove, Illinois.  
686. Joseph K. Burres, lawyer. Tuscola, Illinois.  
Edward E. Donnelly, lawyer. Bloomington, Ill. See No. 213.  
687. Price Griffith.  
688. Archibald A. McClanahan, lawyer. Omaha, Nebraska.  
689. John M. Newman.

## CLASS OF 1886.

690. Edwin W. Benedict, lawyer. Topeka, Kansas.  
691. Enoch Brock, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
692. Robert J. Cannell, lawyer. Hutchinson, Kansas.  
693. Reed Green, lawyer. Cairo, Illinois.  
694. John Harding, Jr., lawyer. Fort Smith, Arkansas.  
695. Louis C. Hay, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
696. Edgar P. Holly, lawyer. Pontiac, Illinois.  
697. David W. Kent, lawyer. Hutchinson, Kansas.

698. Clement L. V. Mulkey, lawyer. Mound City, Illinois.  
699. Edward B. Rood, lawyer. Galveston, Texas.  
700. Wilber S. Scanlan, lawyer. Kane, Illinois.  
701. Robert E. Williams, Jr., lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.

## CLASS OF 1887.

702. Edward Barry, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
703. S. O. Davidson, lawyer. Springfield, Illinois.  
704. George B. Gillespie, lawyer. Vienna, Illinois.  
705. Marion F. Hufford, lawyer. Canton, Illinois.  
706. Charles F. Mansfield, lawyer. Mansfield, Illinois.  
707. Shelton L. Smith, Jr., lawyer. Lexington, Illinois.  
708. John R. Pogue.  
709. J. D. Welch. Galesburg, Illinois.

## CLASS OF 1888.

710. Albert G. Abney, lawyer. Harrisburg, Illinois.  
711. Harry L. Arnold, lawyer. Wichita, Kansas.  
712. Windle G. Brooks, lawyer. Kankakee, Illinois.  
713. William P. Craig, lawyer. Champaign, Illinois.  
714. Charles C. Craig, lawyer. Galesburg, Illinois.  
715. John W. Keeslar, lawyer. Danville, Illinois.  
716. Otto A. Lowentrout. California.  
717. Robert P. McNulta, lawyer. Chicago, Illinois.  
718. Franklin J. Parr, farmer. Oreana, Illinois.  
719. Theodore G. Risley, lawyer. Guthrie, Oklahoma.  
720. Otho D. Swearingen. Chicago, Illinois.

721. John H. Sikes, Deputy Secretary Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F.  
Springfield, Illinois.

722. Roland Vandeventer, lawyer. Mt. Sterling, Illinois.

CLASS OF 1889.

723. William Brennan. Ogden, Illinois.

724. Lee Oneil Brown, lawyer. Ottawa, Illinois.

725. Charles I. Cook, lawyer. Chattanooga, Illinois.

726. Harry L. Dunlap, lawyer. St. Louis, Missouri.

727. George N. Hamilton, lawyer. Galesburg, Illinois.

728. J. Benjamin Hoxie, lawyer. Tonica, Illinois.

William H. Kerrick, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois. See No. 300.

729. John F. Lawrence, lawyer. Danville, Illinois.

730. Daniel C. Miller.

731. Frank W. Morrasy, lawyer. Lincoln, Illinois.

732. Burke Vancil, lawyer. Springfield, Illinois.

733. Miles K. Young, lawyer. Peoria, Illinois.

CLASS OF 1890.

734. John S. Allan.

735. Frank D. Ayers, lawyer. Chicago, Illinois.

736. Arthur K. Brittain.

737. William N. Brown.

738. Aaron T. Depue.

739. Joseph A. Gardiner, lawyer. Hastings, Nebraska.

740. Charles W. Goodwin, lawyer. Luzerne, Iowa.

741. Russ Lambert, lawyer. Whatcom, Washington.

742. Marion May, Jr., lawyer. Chicago, Illinois.

743. Frank B. McKennan, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.

744. Henry M. Murray, farmer. Metropolis, Illinois.

745. Lannes P. Oaks, lawyer. Metropolis, Illinois.

746. David A. Orebaugh, lawyer. Watseka, Illinois.

747. Yeizo Osawa. Japan.

748. Walter G. Porter, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.

749. John H. Sargeant, lawyer. Whatcom, Washington.

750. John H. Schnepp, lawyer. Springfield, Illinois.

751. Kashijiro Tanaka, teacher law school. Japan.

752. John J. Willis, lawyer. Metropolis, Illinois.

753. Charles B. Zimmerman, lawyer. Wichita, Kansas.

CLASS OF 1891.

754. Homer Barney, lawyer. Lacon, Illinois.

755. John H. Chadwick, lawyer. Tuscola, Illinois.

756. William T. Church, lawyer. Aledo, Illinois.

757. George W. English, lawyer. Vienna, Illinois.

758. Harry H. Ewing, lawyer. Great Falls, Montana.

759. Howard S. Green, lawyer. Great Falls, Montana.

760. William G. Griffith, lawyer. Rushville, Illinois.

761. John J. Kemp, Jr., lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.

762. Karl C. Loehr. Bloomington, Illinois.

763. Lewis B. Probasco, grain dealer. Bloomington, Illinois.

764. Silas H. Reid, lawyer. Du Quoin, Illinois.

Rolland A. Russell, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois. See No. 312.

- James H. Shaw, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois. See No. 278.  
 765. Alfred T. Strawn, lawyer. Peoria, Illinois.  
 766. John W. Sudduth. Springfield, Illinois.  
 767. Joseph J. Thompson, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
 768. Charles W. Wiedemann, lawyer. Harrisburg, Illinois.

## CLASS OF 1892.

769. Fred Ball, lawyer. Clinton, Illinois.  
 770. William H. Black, lawyer. Decatur, Illinois.  
 771. William H. Bracken, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
 772. Walter B. Drysdale, lawyer. St. Augustine, Florida.  
 773. John Fuller, lawyer. Clinton, Illinois.  
 William Harvey Hart, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois. See No. 239.  
 774. Effie Henderson, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
 775. Jesse E. Hoffman, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
 776. George F. Jordan, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
 777. Edward B. Mitchell, lawyer. Clinton, Illinois.  
 778. Edwin L. Mitchel, lawyer. Listonburg, Pennsylvania.  
 779. Tsunekichi Oikawa, Japan.  
 780. Charles I. Will, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.

## CLASS OF 1893.

781. William E. Adams, lawyer. Charleston, Illinois.  
 782. Warden Barrere, lawyer. Canton, Illinois.  
 783. John Bedinger, lawyer. Normal, Illinois.  
 784. James C. Burnett, lawyer. Eldorado, Illinois.

785. S. Murray Clark, lawyer. Ridge Farm, Illinois.  
 786. James G. Condon, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
 787. Byron Gasaway, lawyer. Normal, Illinois.  
 788. Harry L. Kelly, lawyer. Fisher, Illinois.  
 789. John J. Ledbetter, lawyer. Terre Haute, Indiana.  
 790. Adelbert Lewis, lawyer. Pawnee, Illinois.  
 791. William L. Miller, lawyer. Chicago, Illinois.  
 792. Robert A. Mooneyham, lawyer. Benton, Illinois.  
 793. Ad. R. Oliver, lawyer. Kewanee, Illinois.  
 794. Thomas L. Robinson, lawyer. Belton, Missouri.  
 795. George W. Trammell, lawyer. Poplar Bluffs, Missouri.  
 796. George M. Wilson, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
 797. David L. Wright, lawyer. Terre Haute, Indiana.

## CLASS OF 1894.

798. William R. Bach, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.  
 799. Willard Y. Baker, lawyer. Mt. Sterling, Illinois.  
 800. Clifford E. Beach. Paxton, Illinois.  
 801. George O. Barnes, lawyer. Normal, Illinois.  
 802. John M. Cleary, lawyer. Kansas City, Missouri.  
 803. Edward Corlett, lawyer. Wilmington, Illinois.  
 804. William A. Covey, lawyer. Mason City, Illinois.  
 805. Arthur G. Davis, lawyer. Indianapolis, Indiana.  
 806. Oliver B. Dobbins, lawyer. Champaign, Illinois.  
 807. William A. Flack, lawyer. Indianapolis, Indiana.  
 808. Edward Frey, lawyer. Carlinville, Illinois.

- 809. Franklin C. Funk, lawyer. Bluff City, Illinois.
- 810. Charles A. Finch. Verona, Illinois.
- 811. George E. Hiner. Stanford, Illinois.
- 812. Frank Kring, clerk in law office, Chicago.
- 813. William H. Kring, clerk in law office, Chicago.
- 814. John W. LaCrone. Faribault, Minnesota.
- 815. Richard H. Little, with Chicago Tribune. Chicago, Illinois.
- 816. Sigmund Livingston, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 817. Bert H. McCann, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 818. William Moore, lawyer. Kansas City, Missouri.
- 819. Wesley M. Owen, lawyer. LeRoy, Illinois.
- 820. John F. Regan, lawyer. Mt. Sterling, Illinois.
- 821. Allen W. Wood, clerk. Chicago, Illinois.
- 822. LeRoy G. Whitmer, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.

## CLASS OF 1895.

- 823. William N. Andrews, lawyer. Decatur, Illinois.
- 824. William M. Barnes, lawyer. Peoria, Illinois.

- 825. E. Thomas Bunting, clergyman.
- 826. John J. Bell, lawyer. Lacon, Illinois.
- 827. Irving S. Banks, lawyer. Belvidere, Illinois.
- 828. Philip L. Clancy, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 829. Arthur M. Conard, clergyman. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 830. Charles M. Connor, lawyer. Toledo, Illinois.
- 831. Charles S. Cooter. Toledo, Illinois.
- 832. Edwin G. Creamer, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 833. Fred W. Dawes. Albion, Illinois.
- 834. William G. Graves, lawyer. Cornell, Illinois.
- 835. Joseph C. Ivins. Quincy, Illinois.
- 836. James B. Miller. Kankakee, Illinois.
- 837. Thomas L. Pollock. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 838. Charles D. Ritcher. Troy, Illinois.
- 839. Deaghlin G. Sammon. Bloomington, Illinois.
- 840. George K. Thompson. Randolph, Illinois.
- 841. Hubert J. Thompson, lawyer. Bloomington, Illinois.
- William Wallace Whitmore, lawyer. Peoria, Illinois. See No. 539.



## DEGREES GIVEN ON EXAMINATION.

[This list does not include the names of Alumni of the Illinois Wesleyan University.]

1874.

842. John Pierce Bobb (M. A., Dickinson), Ph. D.; clergyman, 1874; professor of Latin, Pennington Seminary.
843. Charles W. Super (M. A., Dickinson), Ph. D.; teacher; president of Ohio University, Athens, Ohio. See page 129.

1875.

844. William Kepler (M. A., O. W. U.), Ph. D., 1875.
845. Lewis L. Rogers (M. A., Asbury), Ph. D.; teacher.

1876.

846. Henry C. Whitney, M. A., Ph. D., principal of Seminary, Hackettstown, New Jersey.

1877.

847. John Wesley Powell, M. A., Ph. D. Washington, D. C. See page 87.

1879.

848. Alvin Sylvester Zerbee, M. A., Ph. D.; clergyman; teacher, Collegeville, Pennsylvania.

1882.

849. Henry McCormick, M. A., Ph. D.; professor Illinois State Normal University, Normal, Illinois.
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1883.

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1884.

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1887.

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1888.
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1893.

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1894.

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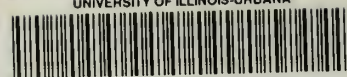
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